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Kevin Horrigan

Perfect 'all-country' speech for politician

You never know when opportunity is going to clunk you upside the head. I speak, of course, of the recent outbreak of country-western song allusions in political speeches.

First it was President Bush quoting, as he put it, "The Nitty Gritty Ditty Great Bird," by which he probably meant the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, in a speech before New Hampshire voters. "If you want to see a rainbow, you've got to stand a little rain," the president said.

Then came Hillary Clinton, kind of explaining why she and her husband, Arkansas Governor and would-be Democratic presidential nominee Bill Clinton (Slogan: We wear shoes now in Arkansas, and they're American shoes!) are still together despite rumors of hanky-panky.

Hillary Clinton said she wasn't any kind of little woman, like Tammy Wynette. "Stand by your Man," but a modern, hip, Rhodes scholar kind of woman who was standing by her man. She managed to offend Tammy Wynette by saying this, but Wynette's had five husbands, including George Jones, so maybe she's easily offended.

It's apparent that C&W song lyrics are going to be big in this election year. In fact, so far, the whole campaign reminds me of a country song. Hard times, flag-waving patriotism, guys (allegedly) slipping around on their wives, a Kluxer running in Louisiana. All we need is a train and Johnny Cash.

Which is where opportunity presents itself. Like Barbara Mandrell, I was country when country wasn't cool. I happen to collect C&W song titles, and I've written an entire, all-purpose political speech based on real country song lyrics. Feel free to send it to your favorite politician:

My fellow Americans. It's great to be back in your state, and if you DON'T BELIEVE I LOVE YOU, JUST ASK MY WIFE. We've been through some hard times together, but you CAN'T HAVE YOUR KATE AND EDITH, TOO. I don't believe we've reached THE PINT OF NO RETURN, so bear with me.

Yes, times have been tough in your state. YOU NEED INTENSIVE CARE. You women know what I mean. YOUR NEGLIGENCE HAS TURNED TO FLANNEL NIGHTGOWNS. Sometimes, we think IT ONLY RAINS ON ME, but I assure you that all over the country, they're saying, "SHE GOT THE GOLD MINE, I GOT THE SHIRT."

What can we do about it? We could sit around and mope, thinking I'D BE BETTER OFF IN A PINE BOX. HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE A MEMORY TO DROWN? We could drink OURSELVES INTO THE PAST. There are times I'D RATHER HAVE A BOTTLE IN FRONT OF ME THAN A FRONTAL LOBOTOMY. We could do it together, because I've always said, YOU CAN TELL THE MAN WHO BOOZES BY THE COMPANY HE CHOOSES.

But, as President Nixon said, that would be wrong. We could joke about it, BUT I'VE GOT A FUNNY FEELING I WON'T BE FEELING FUNNY VERY LONG. We need to get this great state moving again. TAKE ME TO HEAVEN BEFORE YOU TAKE ME HOME, and vote for me.

Other candidates will promise you things they can't deliver. Not me. I didn't promise you anything. IF THE PHONE DIDN'T RING, IT WAS ME. I feel bad about it. I'VE GOT YOU ON MY CONSCIENCE, BUT AT LEAST YOU'RE OFF MY BACK. THE WORST YOU EVER GAVE ME WAS THE BEST I EVER HAD. I DIDN'T KNOW WHETHER TO KILL MYSELF OR GO BOWLING. I'D KNEW I'D LEAN, BUT I NEVER THOUGHT I'D FALL. YOU EVEN WOKE ME UP TO SAY GOODBYE.

I got your message. You want action, not words. WE'VE HAD ALL THE DREAMS WE CAN STAND. I've changed. I really have. I'VE BEEN ROPED AND THROWN BY JESUS IN THE HOLY GHOST CORRAL. You can trust me. No more of this, "IF YOU KEEP CHECKING UP ON ME, I'M CHECKING OUT ON YOU" attitude.

I was hurt when you gave me only 3 percent of the vote in 1988. YOU DONE STOMPED UPON MY HEART AND MASHED THAT SUCKER FLAT. BUT IT DON'T HURT HALF AS BAD AS HOLDING YOU FEELS GOOD.

PLAY ME OR TRADE ME, ladies and gentlemen. Another loss would RUIN MY BAD REPUTATION. Your vote is important. IT AIN'T LOVE BUT IT AIN'T BAD. YOU'RE OUT HERE DOING WHAT I'M DOING WITHOUT, and I envy you. I need your votes. LAY BACK DOWN AND LOVE ME, AND LEAVE THE LEAVING FOR LATER ON.

If nominated, Minnie Pearl will be my running mate.

Man sentenced in attacks on child, inmate

An 18-year-old Granite City man, who pleaded guilty to participating in a jail rape of an Alton teenager, was sentenced to 12 years in prison Thursday.

Michael Keller got 10 years for sexually assaulting an 11-year-old girl and two years on an unlawful restraint charge that stemmed from the jail attack on a 17-year-old resident of the Catholic Children's Home in Alton.

Keller pleaded guilty to both charges. Keller had originally been

charged with criminal sexual assault in the jail rape last summer, but it was amended to unlawful restraint.

Assistant State's Attorney Susan Jensen said she amended the charge because Keller was willing to serve prison time on the sexual assault complaint stemming from the attack on the 11-year-old.

Jensen said Keller didn't have a criminal record and was willing to go to trial on the jail rape charge.

The only witnesses in that

case, other than the victim, would be people charged with felonies, she said.

"I thought it was the wise move to make," she said about amending the charge.

Keller was being held in the Madison County Jail in late July and early August for the assault of the 11-year-old when the jail assault occurred.

Three others who had held the teen-ager during the jail attack pleaded guilty to unlawful restraint and the charges they were originally jailed for, Jensen

said. Waiting to be sentenced are Joseph Lavault, 22, of Granite City; Darren A. Williams, 22, of Godfrey; and Michael McCormick, 21, of Alton. Lavault was originally in custody on two counts of residential burglary. Williams was being held on a forgery charge and violating probation. McCormick was in the jail charged with three counts of burglary.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Police log

Granite City

Arrested on warrant

Felicia Ann Watts, 22, of the 1500 block of Market Street in Madison reported to police headquarters on Jan. 30 after a Fairview Heights warrant was issued for alleged check forgery. Bond was set at \$3,500.

One arrested, one flees

A Granite City man was arrested and another man escaped after police stopped a vehicle Jan. 30 at Nameoki Road and East 24th Street. Eugene W. Paul, 22, of the 2900 block of Iowa Street was arrested for illegal transportation of alcohol. A passenger in the vehicle escaped after fleeing on foot. Officers alleged finding a large number of opened and unopened beer cans inside the car.

Man booked for battery

Michael D. Francis, 27, of the 1900 block of Edwardsville Road in Madison was arrested Jan. 28 on a warrant alleging battery. He was released on cash bail.

Weapon charge filed

A Granite City man was charged with unlawful use of a weapon Jan. 24 after police allegedly found two semi-automatic handguns in his vehicle. Mark C. Barnfield, 23, of the 1600 block of Minerva, of the

was arrested at the 3900 block of Kirkpatrick Homes.

Arrested for deception

Brandy R. Evans, 18, of the 2400 block of State Street was arrested on a warrant alleging deceptive practice Jan. 27 and was transferred to the Madison County Jail pending bail.

DUI arrest on Madison

Timothy A. Brown, 28, of the 2100 block of Dawn Place was arrested early Jan. 24 in the 2900 block of Madison Avenue for allegedly driving while under the influence of alcohol.

Police officer struck

A Granite City man was booked for battery Jan. 23. John Rovinetti, 41, of the 2500 block of Washington Avenue was charged with striking a police officer during an interview at the Granite City police station.

Cannabis charge filed

Pamela S. Bramar, 36, of the 2500 block of Washington Avenue was charged with unlawful possession of cannabis Jan. 25 at 6:38 p.m. She was released on a notice to appear for a hearing.

Booked on two charges

Richard A. Moussette Jr., 19, of the 2400 block of Missouri Avenue was charged Jan. 25 at 8 p.m. with prowling and resisting a police officer.

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New feature
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Election draws near

The March primary features interesting races for a variety of posts — including a surprisingly competitive race for the Democratic Party's U.S. Senate nomination for the seat held by Alan Dixon of Belleville. See the Journal and Press-Record for continuing coverage.

Pretrial release showing promise

Officials say it remains to be seen how much a new pretrial release program will reduce overcrowding at the Madison County Jail.

But they agree that judges will be better informed when they set bail for suspected felons.

Since Jan. 27, judges have been receiving background reports on defendants within 24 hours of the first court appearances.

Previously, judges had to depend on defendants or their attorneys for information about defendants' criminal records, employment and family situations.

Now, officers of the county probation department are interviewing defendants and checking their backgrounds to help judges decide if the suspects are good risks for release on a lowered cash bond or a personal recognizance bond.

"It's information (judges) have never had before," said Robert Astorian, director of the probation department and former Granite City police chief. "We're hoping it will alleviate jail overcrowding."

Associate Judge J. Lawrence Keshner agreed the additional information makes his job easier.

"It's all documented and verified," he said. "It's a better tool."

Keshner received such a report Monday and refused to reduce bail. Keshner said the

defendant was on parole after serving time in prison for a previous felony.

After reviewing a report on another defendant Tuesday, Keshner ordered the man released on a personal recognizance bond, which does not require money or property to be posted.

Some of those released will be under virtual "house arrest," subject to curfews and around-the-clock checks by pretrial services officers until trial.

Some suspects will have their whereabouts monitored by electronic bracelets after the equipment arrives in March. County Board members looking for ways to reduce overcrowding and cut expenses at the jail budgeted \$177,000 for the new program this year.

The goal is to reduce jail populations by 40 to 50 inmates at any given time.

Lt. James Newsome of Madison, jail superintendent, said he hopes the program pays off. On Tuesday, the jail had 162 male inmates. It was designed to handle 140.

"We've got 15 to 20 sleeping on the floor," Newsome said. "If we can get it down to 100 to 120 (males), we can stay within (Illinois Department of Corrections) standards."

ended Jan. 28.

The delegate hopefuls are listed on the ballot by which Congressional district they live in, and each must declare a preference for a presidential candidate or declare as uncommitted.

Ragsdale, of Alton, joined four other Republicans, including Phyllis Schlafly of Alton, in filing in the new 20th Congressional District. All declared a preference for George Bush.

No Democratic delegates filed for the 20th District on the first day of filing.

In the 12th Congressional District, seven Democrats and three Republicans filed delegate petitions. All the Democrats declared a presidential preference for Sen. Bob Kerrey of Nebraska. All the Republicans declared a preference for Bush.

The filing period

Ragsdale seeking 3rd trip as Bush delegate

By Christopher Knight
Staff writer

As a delegate candidate to the Republican National Convention, Edward Ragsdale is not shy about telling you where he stands.

"I really believe the liberal media beats up on George Bush quite unfairly," Ragsdale said.

Dr. Ragsdale filed petitions last week seeking to make his third trip as a delegate to a GOP convention.

The Madison County Republican Party chairman said he wants to help keep his party in control of the presidency. To do that, he would support President Bush, he said.

Jan. 21 was the first day delegate hopefuls could file petitions with the State Board of Elections to get on the March 17 primary ballot as convention delegate candidates. The filing period

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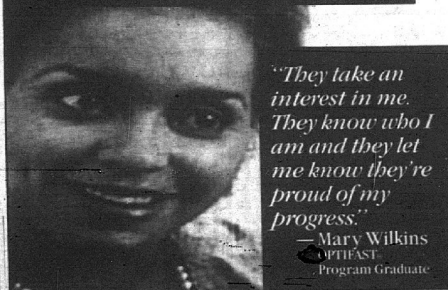
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Public defender withdraws from case because of jailhouse 'snitch'

Madison County Public Defender John Rekowski said his office pulled out of a murder defense because another client was recruited as a jailhouse "snitch" in the case.

While it's common practice for some defense attorneys to advise their clients to "dump" on other prisoners to get reduced charges or lighter sentences, it's unethical for investigators to solicit statements as witnesses, Rekowski claimed.

But Madison County State's Attorney William Haine said he "doesn't understand what the big deal is."

Rekowski's office withdrew from representing Jeffrey Yates, who is charged with murdering 85-year-old Elizabeth M. Kirts of Edwardsville. Attorney Rand Hale has been appointed a special public defender to represent Yates of East St. Louis in the case.

"The bottom line is we had to get out of the Yates and another case," Rekowski said, referring to the case of the man allegedly recruited to testify against Yates. "There was an ethical conflict for us."

He said it would be a conflict for the office to be representing two defendants, one of whom could be testifying against the other.

Both men were held in the Madison County jail at the same time. Rekowski said investigators canvassed prisoners who may have been in earshot in

case Yates made incriminating statements while being held. Rekowski refused to identify the police agency that sought the jail witness, but he said such searches create a "bureaucratic headache" for his office.

"It's bad policy. It's bad law enforcement," Rekowski said. "It usually happens on big cases; that's when they do this."

Haine disagreed. "We have a right to interview prospective witnesses in these cases," he

said. "I don't care if John Rekowski, the public defender, is offended."

"To me, it's a legitimate law enforcement tool."

Yates is facing two counts of first-degree murder and one count each of burglary and home invasion. The charges allege he broke into Kirts' apartment in the first block of Devon Court on Nov. 8 to commit a burglary and shot her to death.

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THE VOICE BOX: How old is someone who is "old"?

By John Swistak Jr., T.L. Witt and Linda Schaefer.



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"Thirteen is old because that's older than most people."



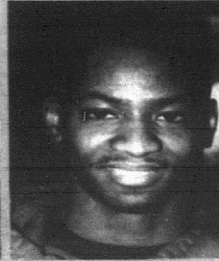
Helen Pfeiffer, Granite City
"Sixty is not you age it's when you can't get around anymore and you need help. That's old."



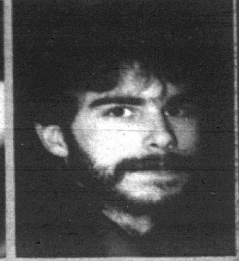
Mike Neis, Collinsville
"Sixty. You are old when you quit having fun. I know a lot of people who are 50-55 and they are still having fun."



Ruby Garrett, Lebanon
"Seventy-five to 80. In my family me and my sisters are the oldest generation, and my one sister is 82. There are no old people in our family. My mother-in-law is 82 and gets around as good as I do."



Anthony Eiland, East St. Louis
"About 65, that's the time that I want to retire and take it easy."



Shawn Bittle, Belleville
"Seventy to 75. You start to wrinkle up at 70. You start to lose a little life."

Haine picks up 2 key endorsements

State's Attorney Bill Haine has picked up two key endorsements in a heated primary election campaign.

He overwhelmingly won the backing of the Alton Democratic Precinct Committeemen, despite challenger Dan O'Neill being a member of the organization.

"These are my hometown people, and they have rejected the smear campaign of Dan O'Neill," said Haine, who lives in Alton.

"They have rejected Dan's attempts to portray my office and me, personally, with false, misleading statements."

Haine is no longer a member of the committeemen's group.

O'Neill turned verbal guns on his own organization.

He said the endorsement of Haine after Haine allegedly

broke a number of campaign promises is "a sad reflection of the state of the political machine."

The lopsided 17-2 vote in the secret ballot shows the organization is in a state of "disrepair, disarray. It's gone rotten," O'Neill said.

Haine and O'Neill, both Democrats, are vying for state's attorney via the primary election March 17. There is no candidate seeking the Republican nomination, meaning the voters may not have a choice between a Republican and Democrat in the November general election.

From the start, O'Neill has attacked Haine by saying he has not fulfilled campaign promises and lacks trial-court experience.

Earlier last week, O'Neill

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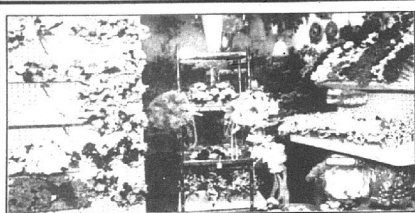
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•Gospel

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sions for asking the Journal to participate was the help the newspapers could give in recruiting from the who area.

Mike Gladbach, chairman of the event's publicity committee, said there was a second reason the chain is sponsoring the GospelFest.

"Our purpose is to bring the community together," Gladbach said. "There are so many types of gospel music, and we want to share those with everybody."

Gladbach said people won't need to be gospel experts to enjoy the show and expects the show to appeal to a large number of St. Louisans.

"I knew very little about gospel music when I got involved in this," Gladbach said, "but then I had the opportunity to listen to several gospel groups sing, and it's been real exciting to be involved in it, because there is so much emotionalism in the music and so much meaning."

Gladbach stressed that the show at the Fox will be a celebration, not a contest.

"There won't be a competition at the Fox," Gladbach said. "Those people will be the cream of the crop."

Performers wishing to audition can pick up an application at any local McDonald's. The deadline for filing is Feb. 15.

•Haine

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called Haine a hypocrite after plea bargaining with John Falkenrath, a Collinsville man who received two years of probation after he pleaded guilty to child molestation.

"Bill Haine campaigned on a promise that he would abolish plea bargaining and protect children from child molesters. He hasn't done either," O'Neill said. "Haine, who has ignored most of O'Neill's accusations, said Thursday he has no choice but to answer his opponent's 'gutter politics.'"

"The latest barrage, which I assume were written by (former State's Attorney) Dick Allen, has to have a response," Haine said. "He is using victims for political purposes."

Haine said O'Neill's trademark in the Madison County Courthouse is his ability to sleep on the job.

"He slept through four years of Dick Allen. He literally slept through County Board meetings," Haine alleged, adding that O'Neill doesn't know anything about the current state's attorney's office. "He slept through the first three years of me being in office."

"He's a surrogate candidate for the Dick Allen administration."

In a related development, DEMCO, made up of Democratic officeholders, also endorsed Haine.

Superintendent of Schools Harry Briggs said DEMCO members who are on the March 17 primary ballot did not participate in the endorsement votes.

—From the Alton Telegraph

Tickets to the GospelFest are \$10 and are on sale at the Fox Theater and at Metrotix ticket outlets.

GospelFest looks for singers

The first McDonald's GospelFest, co-sponsored by the Suburban Journals, is looking for gospel soloists and groups to audition to appear in a March 29 celebration at the Fox Theater.

The deadline for audition entries is Feb. 15. Auditions will be held at Northwest Plaza on Feb. 22 and Feb. 29. Audition entries will be limited to 75 soloists and quartets and 50 small and large groups. A small group is from five to 12 members and large groups are more than 12 members.

To apply for auditions, clip the coupon below and send to McDonald's GospelFest, 1 City Centre, Suite 1600, St. Louis, 63101. For information, call (314) 436-5455.

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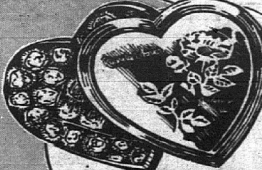
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Obituaries

John Allen

John Allen, 87, of Madison died at 5:33 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, 1992, in the Intensive Care Unit of St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis.

Mr. Allen was born June 10, 1904, in Edward, Miss., and had been a resident of the Metro East area for many years. He was a retired employee of General Steel Industries, Granite City, and was a member of the Southern Baptist Church, Madison.

Survivors include his wife, Erma Allen of Madison; five daughters, Juanita McClure of St. Louis, Ernestine Harbour of Los Angeles, Jeanette Allen and Yvonne Rhodes, both of the Madison-Venice area, and Josey Felous of San Jose, Calif.; four sons, Rodrick Allen, Rodnie Allen, Elmina Allen and Ricky Allen; 15 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation and funeral services were held Tuesday at the Southern Baptist Church, Madison, with the Rev. Edward Williamson, pastor, and the Rev. A.G. Williams officiating. Burial will be at 10 a.m. today (Wednesday) at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt.

Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis, has charge.

Mary Dederer

Mary Margaret (Solitch) Dederer, 78, of Granite City died at 9:26 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, 1992, in St. Louis.

Mrs. Dederer was born Oct. 20, 1913, in Granite City. She retired in 1978 as a clerk for Woolworth's Store.

Survivors include a son, James Dederer, of Granite City, and two sisters, Wilma Vavra and Frances Pelate, both of Granite City. She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Dederer, who died in 1958; and her parents, Steve Salitch, and her parents, Jacob and Teresa Solitch.

Visitation will be held from 6:30 p.m. Thursday until the funeral time at 7 p.m. Thursday at St. Kevin's Catholic Church, St. Kevin's Drive in Rosewood Heights, where services will be held by the Rev. Tom Lucibler. Private burial will be Friday at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Payne Funeral Home in East Alton is in charge of arrangements.

Memorials are suggested for St. Kevin's Church, Trails West Boy Scout Council of Wood River, or the Jewish Hospital.

Janet Ellis

Janet (Fordon) Ellis, 59, of East St. Louis died at 6:35 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, 1992, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City.

Mrs. Ellis was born April 30, 1932, in Harvey, Mo., and had been a resident of East St. Louis for many years and was a member of Howard Temple Church of God in Christ.

Survivors include two daughters, Geneva Cleaves and Sharon Ellis, both of Madison; four sons, Johnnie Crump of East St. Louis, Michael Ellis and James Ellis, both of Belleville, and Wendell Ellis of Shreveport, La.; three sisters, Thelma Motley of St. Louis, Dorothy Filer of Lees, Mich., and Clara Terry of East St. Louis; two brothers, Benjamin Fordson and Carl Fordson, both of East St. Louis; 18 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 7, at Officer Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis. Funeral services will be held at noon Saturday at Howard Temple Church of God in Christ, East St. Louis, with Elder Shelley Howard, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt.

Helen Statler

Helen V. (Baerthel) Statler, 83, of Granite City died at 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, 1992, at the Caseyville Health Care Center.

She had been ill since April 1991. Born Aug. 23, 1908, in Venice, she was a lifelong resident of the Metro East area. Mrs. Statler was a seamstress for the Modern Jacket Co. in St. Louis and was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include one son, Eugene Statler of Spokane, Wash.; two daughters, Norma Mazy of Spokane; 21 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Wilson Statler, who died Aug. 6, 1987; and her parents, Lea and Augusta (Hanes) Baerthel.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, with Robert Goodrich officiating. Burial was at Lake View Memorial Gardens in Belleville.

Memorials are suggested for St. Elizabeth Medical Center's Skilled Nursing Care.

Eastside Atari Users Group elects new officers for year

In a recent election of officers, the Eastside Atari Users Group elected David Pintar of Collinsville president. Hank Vize of Godfrey is vice president; Larry Hutchinson of Granite City, treasurer; S.K. Webb of Alton, secretary; and Tom Guelker of Collinsville and Kent Savage of Eldred, librarians.

The group is an Atari computer support group that meets the first Monday of each month in the community room of the Wood River Library.

A short business meeting starts at 7 p.m. and is followed by software and hardware demonstrations. The club does not charge a membership fee and meetings are open to the public.

The Eastside Atari Users Group is one of four local Atari groups that in 1990 founded the Midwest Atari Regional Council.

"MARC was formed so the local Atari clubs could have a unified voice when addressing issues with Atari Corporation," Pintar of AUG said. "It has also opened the door of communication between the clubs so we know what each group is doing."

"Atari Corp. has supported us and encouraged other groups to join the council. Approximately 11 Atari groups from the Midwest are in the council today. Groups from Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin, Kansas, Missouri and Illinois have joined us."

The groups stay in touch with each other through an electronic bulletin board service and newsletters.

During the last year, members of EAUG have traveled to Atari computer shows held in Indianapolis, Chicago and Windsor, Canada.

The Chicago Computerfest, held in November, was the largest Atari show ever held in the Midwest. Several members of EAUG donated part of their weekend trip to work at the show to help insure its success.

Also, during the past year, the group co-sponsored a local computer show held in Collinsville. Anyone interested in more information about the Eastside Atari Users Group can attend the meetings or contact David Pintar (345-5975) or Hank Vize (466-0342).

Driver services facilities outside Cook County, which normally are open Tuesday through Saturday, will be closed Saturday, Feb. 15, for Washington's birthday and will resume business on Tuesday, Feb. 18.

All other offices and facilities will be closed Monday, Feb. 17, for Washington's birthday and will reopen Tuesday, Feb. 18.

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Twins

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has yet to see the equal to seven sets of twins.

The presence of twins does not appear to be too uncommon in the Granite City School District, though. Thirty-four sets of twins attend the seven elementary schools. Another seven sets of twins attend Maryville Elementary School and six sets are at Mitchell Elementary School. Other schools have fewer: Parkview School has four sets; Wilson Elementary has three; Lake, Niedringhaus and Marshall two each; and Marshall has one set.

"I guess we're just productive in this area," Superintendent of Schools Bill Walmesley said.

But imagine the oddity of the Ahler twins who live two houses away from Kim and Katy Speece on Spring Avenue. The street also houses two other

twins who are too young to attend school. The Ray twins live only a few houses from the Heck twins.

An eighth set withdrew from Frohardt to attend Mitchell just prior to the beginning of the school year, Mills said.

When asked how the other children react to the high number of twins, Mills said the children haven't made an issue of it. "There is a very good chance that most do not know we have so many," she said.

The twins do have a certain closeness, Mills said, especially the younger ones who tend to dress alike.

Mills, who taught the Heck twins in pre-school, said they were very close and protective of each other, but not without individual personalities.

Those two really took advantage of their similarities, Mills said.

Leaves

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the end of April barring bad weather," Sanitation Committee Chairman Judy Whitaker said.

The agreement between the parties will have one man each from the Sanitation and Street departments retain responsibility for the program, officials said.

In December, Granite City Street Superintendent Clayton "Huck" Harrison refused to have his workers' truck leaves collected at the Sanitation Department, citing a lack of authority.

Working in his department, saying the hauling was their responsibility, threatened to file a union grievance if anyone else hauled the leaves. They eventually did haul the leaves.

Sanitation Committee members decided to start from scratch with leaf and grass collection to allow citizens to save money and put an end to departmental squabbling.

"State and federal laws are forcing the price of garbage rates and dumping fees higher," Whitaker said. "With this program, we're hoping to offer the citizens a cost-effective alternative."

Except for the first leaf collection program, City Inspector Vince Scrum, Sanitation Department director, said there has not been a big problem with departmental responsibilities, adding that reports of departmental bickering have been blown out of proportion.

Ordinances specifying such responsibilities could become a headache for the City Council, Scrum said.

Separate responsibilities are not necessary legally, Scrum said, commenting, "If you start with us, you will have to maintain an ordinance for the fire and police departments and so on."

Whitaker said the new collection program needs to be tried. "If it doesn't work, we'll try a

new one, but if it does our next step is our own composting service."

The new program still disallows the dumping of bags; bags of leaves or grass are to be emptied into the bins, with the bags then taken away by the family dropping off the leaves and grass.

Also, unwelcome would be old auto tires, bicycle parts and similar items.

Committee members said explanatory signs will be visible on the bins.

Warnings of inappropriate dumping become numerous, it is planned to transfer bins from one area into another.

"We need the cooperation of the community in these matters so the few do not ruin the program for the many," Whitaker said.

The Sanitation Committee plans to file an application prior to Feb. 18 to Madison County for a grant to purchase a leaf vacuum.

Millstad man in machine gun search

By Jim Merkel
Staff writer

A Millstad man is one of the key people involved in a nationwide search for AK-47 submachine guns that have been traced from Iraq, federal officials say.

Jerry Tassard Jr. of Millstad and his brother, Jacky Tassard, a student at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, could spend up to 20 years in prison and be fined \$20,000 if they're charged and found guilty of possessing an AK-47 machine gun, officials said.

The officials allege that Jerry Tassard Jr. was one of at least two servicemen who smuggled AK-47 machine guns back to the United States from Operation Desert Storm in crates of spare helicopter parts.

"I'd say all these people at this point are in trouble," said Jim Stable, public information officer for the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms St. Louis field office.

The ongoing investigation, which thus far has led to the seizure of 11 AK-47s and one Iraqi 9mm pistol, began with a complaint by neighbors of Jacky Tassard's Carbondale area residence about weapons being

fired, authorities said. "It's a house that was renting in Lakewood Estates which is in rural Williamson County," said Alan Ozment, chief deputy for the Williamson County Sheriff's Department.

"They were pretty disturbed. They could tell it wasn't any ordinary firearm," he said.

"They were just out shooting into the backyard into a bank, Ozment said.

When the sheriff's department investigated, it recovered the AK-47s and took five people into custody, including Jacky Tassard, Ozment said.

"They were real cooperative and gave us the information that we needed," Ozment said.

Out of the questioning, police learned that Jacky Tassard's brother, Jerry Jr., was one of several who shipped the weapons back from Desert Storm in crates of spare helicopter parts, an ATF news release said.

ATF agents then went to Jerry Tassard's home in Millstad and confronted him with that information, the release said.

Tassard surrendered four additional AK-47s and the Iraqi-made Beretta 9mm pistol, authorities said.

Four additional AK-47 machine guns from Desert Storm, along with an unrelated MP-40 machine gun, were recovered in Pennsylvania, the ATF release said.

The U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Division is working with ATF to recover other weapons that still may be out, along with the involved parties, the release said.

Information on the investigation is being turned over to United States Attorney Frederick Hess for prosecution in the Southern District of Illinois.

The release said that people who turn in the weapons before they are discovered in an investigation can avoid prosecution.

Specific information about whether charges will be filed against the two Tassards was unavailable at press time.

BAC sponsors career workshops

Belleville Area College Career Placement Center is sponsoring a series of workshops designed to explore vocational career opportunities.

The workshops, "Exploring Vocational Careers," will be held at the Belleville Campus, 2500 S. Main St., from noon to 2 p.m. beginning Feb. 11. Additional sessions will be held Feb. 13, 18, 20, 25 and 27.

The six-program series will provide career assessments for participants, look at vocational careers offered at BAC, and give tours of local industries," said Martha Nelson, director of the Career Placement Center.

There is no fee for the workshops. For information, call 235-2700, extension 562.

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Ray Needham

Ray Ardell Needham, 70, of Granite City, formerly of Marion, Ill., died at 3:09 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, 1992, in the emergency room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He had been ill for two years.

Mr. Needham was born in Gorham, Ill., and resided in Granite City for 15 years. He retired in 1976 from Norge Corp. where he was an assembly line worker for five years. He was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include his wife, Geraldine (Bell) Needham of Granite City, whom he married Dec. 8, 1961, in St. Louis; three sons, James A. Needham and Jerry D. Needham, both of Creal, Ill., and Jack R. Needham of Herrin; six daughters, Linda Harner of Tunnel Hill, Ill., Sheryl Forrest of Madison, Janet Schmitt of Carle Place, Ill., Judy Needham of Indianapolis, and Jessie Needham and Tammy Needham, both of Creal Springs; four stepsons, four stepdaughters, 49 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Peggy Ann Needham; one stepdaughter, Shirley Scott; three brothers, Fred, Raymond and Earl Needham; two sisters, Bessie and Clara; and his parents, James and Lucy (Feltz) Needham.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Mercer Mortuary Chapel, Granite City, with the Rev. Eddy Linhart officiating. Burial was at Pleasant Grove Cemetery in Murphysboro.

Memorials are suggested for the American Heart Association.

Cavil Shirley

Cavil Moses "Perk" Shirley, 78, of Granite City died Saturday, Feb. 1, 1992, at his son's home in Suffolk, Va.

Mr. Shirley was born Nov. 9, 1913, in Macedonia, Ill. He was a disabled World War II veteran and an avid sportsman and gardener.

Survivors include his son, Cavil Ray Shirley of Suffolk; one daughter, Iris Ann Bryant of Belleville; and one sister, Laura Thelma Merrell of Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Rheuben and Anna Shirley; a sister, Norma Drickson; and a brother, Leonard Robert Shirley.

Funeral services will be held today (Wednesday) at Stewart Vandy Funeral Home in Bennett's Creek, Suffolk, Va.

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Haine, public defender disagree on proposal

SPRINGFIELD — Madison County State's Attorney William Haine and county Public Defender John Rekowski are at odds over a state Supreme Court recommendation.

The Illinois Supreme Court suggested in its annual report released Thursday that juries should not be allowed to determine whether criminal defendants are competent to stand trial.

Under current state law, prosecutors or defendants can demand a jury decision on the question. The state could eliminate that option because the U.S. Supreme Court has determined that the constitutional right to a jury trial does not cover fitness hearings, the report to the Legislature said.

"I think that would be a good change," Haine said. "Generally, judges are more competent to determine fitness than a jury because judges are used to the experts and they're well versed in the issues."

"On technical issues such as competence to stand trial, a judge is the best determiner," Rekowski disagreed, saying the jury option "ought to be preserved because there are times when judges get jaundiced in the system."

Neither Haine nor Rekowski could recall a criminal case in Madison County in which a jury had been requested to determine the fitness of a defendant to stand trial.

But Rekowski said a jury decided a similar issue once in a civil commitment case in the county. "We all thought he was crazy, but the jury found him not crazy," he said.

The high court also made several other recommendations for possible legislative changes, but the issues were largely technical aspects of civil and domestic case law.

For the first time in several years, the Illinois Supreme Court did not ask lawmakers for more money for the court system. In his cover letter, Chief Justice Ben Miller cited the state's "fiscal crisis" for the omission, but he said the court would renew its requests for increased funds in future years.

— William Haine
State's Attorney



— From the Alton Telegraph

Journals, Storm team up, will sponsor Hat Trick Club

Youth soccer players at area indoor soccer clubs who score three goals in one game from Feb. 7 through March 15 will win a membership certificate in the Hat Trick Club, which is being sponsored by the *Suburban Journals* and the St. Louis Storm.

Players under the age of 19 also will win a certificate for a free \$12 ticket to the Storm game on March 27, and the opportunity to purchase additional \$12 tickets for \$8 for Hat Trick Club Night on March 27, when the Storm battles the

Wichita Wings. Members of the Hat Trick Club also will have their names printed in their area edition of the *Suburban Journal*.

Participating indoor clubs are: Al Trost's West County Soccer Club, Dellwood Indoor Soccer Arena, Jamestown Sports Complex, Soccer Dome, Soccerhaus and Soccer World West. For further information about the Hat Trick Club, call the Storm office, 781-6475.

Clubs help seniors enjoy electronic age

By Laura J. Hopper
Staff writer

Addie Schulteis of north St. Louis County is entering her golden age and the electronic age at the same time.

Schulteis, an active participant in county senior citizens organizations, is joining a growing group of seniors who are discovering the joys of modern technology.

"I spend a lot of time on computers now," she said, in something of an understatement.

On a typical morning, Schulteis' friends can often find her busily working on computer-related projects at the St. Louis County Older Residents Program (CORP) offices.

CORP workers say Schulteis is part of a new trend that county officials are moving hastily to

For people over 55

keep up with — senior citizens wanting to learn about computers.

"Most people over 55 missed the computer age, and now they want to get in on it," CORP staffer Kathleen Volm said. "The interest is there, and we have to serve that interest."

By request, CORP has already helped form two senior citizens' computer clubs, in north and south St. Louis County. A West County group soon will be established as well.

And within the next few months, St. Louis will join other

communities throughout the nation as a home for SeniorNet, a computer network aimed at older, retired adults.

The program will be instituted as soon as county officials find a location for the SeniorNet Computer Center here. Five sites throughout the county are being considered, said Volm.

Donations of money, used computers and other computer-related equipment are also needed, Volm said, along with willing volunteers. To donate or volunteer time in the program, call Volm at 888-3557.

Once in place, the program will include basic computer instruction for seniors and the use of seniors themselves as volunteers to teach others about computer skills.

Regular classes will be held for beginners, with seminars

taking place for seniors who are more advanced in computer skills.

After completing the basic training course, the seniors may volunteer to teach other older adults who are homebound or disabled. Volunteers also will be recruited to teach computer skills at retirement and nursing homes, Volm said.

For the senior citizens, computer training will mean more than just acquiring a new skill, said Valerie White of CORP's North County office.

"It's a passive form of recreation, so they don't have to over-extend themselves," White said. "But it does keep their minds active, and that's good."

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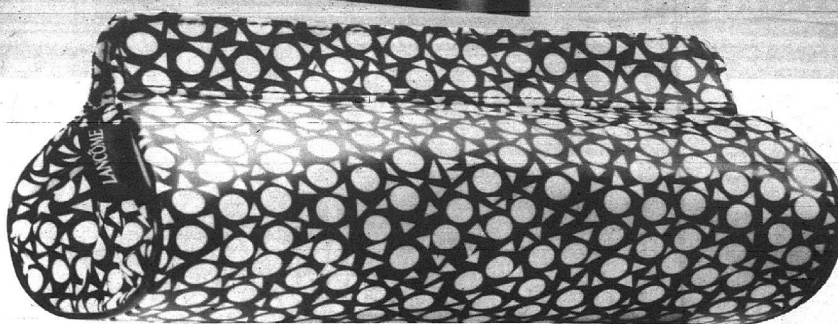
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Journals Coaches Poll

Wrestling

Week of Feb. 5

1. GRANITE CITY (1).....77
2. Lafayette (2).....75
3. Oakville (3).....62
4. McCluer North (5).....50
5. Belleville East (6).....44
6. Hazelwood East (7).....37
7. Wentzville (9).....37
8. Cahokia (5).....28
9. St. Charles West (9).....15
10. Francis Howell (10).....8

Also receiving votes, in order: Parkway West, Fox, Francis Howell North, Edwardsville.

Coaches in poll: Chip Allison, Parkway South; Tim Clepper, Vianey; Mike Garland, Granite City; Jim Paulsen, Hazelwood East; Shep Pittman, Kirkwood; Charlie Sherez, McCluer North; Rocky Streb, Oakville; John Welmeser, Belleville West.

Number in parentheses indicates last week's ranking. Point totals based on 10 points for first-place vote, etc.

Journals Coaches Poll

Boys Basketball

Large Schools

Week of Feb. 5

1. McCluer (1).....15-0
2. Riversview Gardens (3).....15-1
3. Desmet (2).....12-6
4. Collinsville (5).....12-6
5. Vashon (4).....18-3
6. Parkway Central (7).....16-3
7. O'Fallon (6).....14-3
8. ESL Lincoln (9).....9-6
9. Belleville West (10).....12-6
10. Vianey (9).....15-3

Also receiving votes, in order: Jerseyville, Desoto, GRANITE CITY, Champaign, Parkway West, East St. Louis, Mehlville, Sunmer, Fox, Roseville, St. Charles West, St. Louis U. High, Pacific, Pottsville.

Coaches in poll: Bill Ohlendorf, Granite City; Ed Lilesnek, Hazelwood Central; Mark Hahn, Pattonville; Allen Davis, Desoto; Dale Burgman, Desmet; Rick Kirby, Parkway Central; Greg Fingerhut, Mehlville; Don Maurer, SLUH; Skip Scherrer, Wentzville; Bob Boone, Collinsville.

Number in parentheses indicates last week's ranking.

Journals Coaches Poll

Boys Basketball

Small Schools

Week of Feb. 5

1. John Burroughs (3).....16-1
2. Oakville (2).....19-2
3. Jennings (4).....16-3
4. Waterloo Gilbert (1).....14-3
5. Union (6).....15-3
6. Wellston (10).....12-4
7. MADISON (9).....10-8
8. VANCE (5).....12-7
9. Festus (8).....11-4
10. Clayton (7).....12-7

Also receiving votes, in order: Sullivan, Lutheran North, Freeburg, Borgia, Troy, NJROTC, Maplewood, Mater Dei, Brentwood, Columbia, Hancock, St. Clair, West.

Coaches in poll: Clinton Harris, Venice; Randy Carter, Jennings; Kirk Mueller, Lutheran North; Jeff Klos, Crystal City; Sam Davis, Brentwood; Steve Wilcutt, John Burroughs; Jeff Koeltzer, St. John's; Ron Parker, Altamont; Dennis Ruetter, Waterloo Gilbert; Mike Hayden, St. Dominic.

Number in parentheses indicates last week's ranking.

Journals Coaches Poll

Girls Basketball

Large Schools

Week of Feb. 5

1. St. Joseph's (1).....16-0
2. ESL Lincoln (2).....13-4
3. Parkway West (5).....14-3
4. House Springs (3).....16-2
5. Fox (4).....14-3
6. Parkway North (7).....14-3
7. Bishop DuBourg (6).....14-6
8. Edwardsville (8).....11-4
9. Cor Jesu (9).....11-4
10. Collinsville (NR).....11-8

Also receiving votes, in order: Jerseyville, Altamont, Desoto, Belleville West, Webster Groves, Francis Howell, Hazelwood West, McCluer North.

Coaches in poll: Greg Crockett, Cahokia; Don Burns, DuBois; John Cunningham, Oakville; Larry Betz, Belleville West; George Ruhl, Pattonville; Rocky Ryan, McCluer North; Kathy Blair, Northwest House Springs; Hal Whiteaker, Parkway West; Mark Lineman, Parkway North; Mike Gibbons, Francis Howell.

Number in parentheses indicates last week's ranking.

Journals Coaches Poll

Girls Basketball

Small Schools

Week of Feb. 5

1. Oakville (1).....20-2
2. Westlin (2).....19-3
3. Incarnate Word (T3).....13-3
4. Visitation (T3).....11-4
5. Troy (6).....15-1
6. Mater Dei (5).....14-3
7. Mascoutah (8).....15-3
8. Wentzville (10).....12-4
9. Rosati-Kain (9).....11-6
10. Duchesne (NR).....11-4

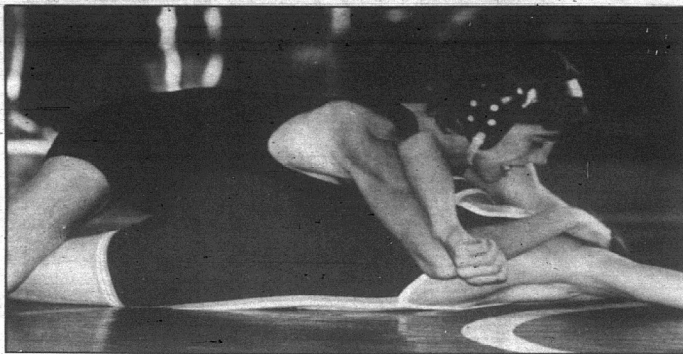
Also receiving votes, in order: Carle, Jennings, Marquette, Hermann, Borgia, Altamont, Kennedy.

Coaches in poll: Vernon Ferry, Duplo; Rick Barker, Hancock; Mike Leeper, Rosati-Kain; Paul Steadler, Rosati; Denise Hays, Henderson; Stan Westhoff, Duchesne; Thad Strobach, Visitation; Sue Tamsing, Westminster; Jim Johnson, Incarnate Word.

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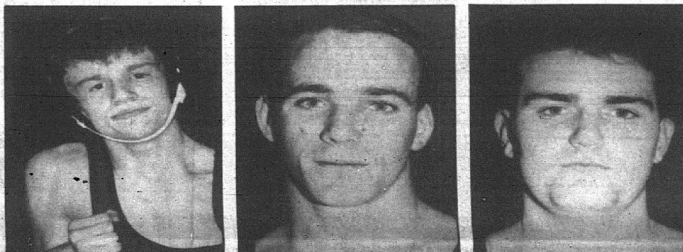
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Matmen finish perfect regular season



(Staff photo by Pam Doepke-Hurd)

Pat Scheffer pins Murphysboro's Brian Arbeiter on Saturday.



Joining 103-pounder Pat Scheffer and 140-pounder Chris Hoffstot as 30-match winners for the Warriors this year are (left to right) Ryan King (119), Mark McKechan (135) and Al Willaredt (heavyweight).

Marshall, B. Smith rescue Warriors

By Brad Tayloe
Correspondent

The Warriors had one too many Smiths for Belleville East to handle Saturday. Jeff Smith got into early foul trouble and did not attempt a shot from the field. But Brian Marshall stepped up with 18 points and 12 rebounds to lead visiting Granite City to a 51-37 over the Lancers.

"Brian did a good job for us tonight," said Warrior coach Bill Ohlendorf. "He worked real hard in the absence of his brother."

The Warriors took a 10-3 lead early, as senior Drake Marshall scored nine of his team's points.

He scored 17 of his game-high 24 points in the first half in returning from a three-day school suspension.

"If Marshall's not hot — even if we don't score — we're still in the game," said Lancer coach Jim Reynolds.

"He's a fierce competitor," Ohlendorf said of Marshall. "When he shoots the ball like that, he's very effective."

Granite City (13-7 overall, 4-2 in the conference) went into halftime with a 24-15 lead, but then scored the first 10 points of the third quarter to take a 34-15 lead. Marshall and Brian Smith combined for all 10 points during the run.

East (3-14) could get no closer than 12 points the rest of the game.

After their early run, the Warriors controlled the play, and outrebounded the smaller Lancers 24-13 in the second half.

"We just went about our business (in the second half)," said Ohlendorf. "We weren't going to try to do too much. We were just going to try to get through it."

With Granite City dominating inside, the Lancers tried to win it from the outside, but that strategy wasn't effective, either. East hit just three of 24 attempts from 3-point range. For the

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Girls beat Mascoutah; rollercoaster up again

By Brian Henry
Correspondent

The on-again, off-again Lady Warriors put it all together at home Monday in a 67-61 win over Mascoutah.

Trying to figure out the Lady Warriors (12-7) is only slightly less taxing than trying to solve Rubik's Cube. They beat Belleville East last week before hitting rock bottom in an overtime loss to previously winless East St. Louis. Now they are back in the Dr. Jekyll mode after beating the 15-4 Indians.

Four Granite City players were in double figures, with Jamie Cavanaugh leading the way with 23 points, 10 rebounds and five blocked shots. Dana Dresch came through with a career-best 19 points, while Karen Sykes (13) and Stephanie Kull (10) also contributed.

"I've been practicing my outside shot and it's starting to fall," said Dresch. "We've got to shoot from farther out."

"Dana and Stephanie each played one of their best games," said coach Allen Lobdell. "We need all the girls to build confidence in the next two weeks with regional coming up."

The only starter not to reach double figures in points was guard Kami Kessel. But she made her presence known with nine assists.



Dana Dresch
...career-high 19 points

"They earned the win," said Mascoutah coach Pat Cook. "Their height hurts everyone they play. We couldn't do anything inside."

Mascoutah held its own as center Stephanie Gaul had 17 points and 10 rebounds. Guard Kim Moeller led the Indians with 22 points, including 9 for 3 from the free throw line.

Utilizing crisp passing and picks, the Lady Warriors jumped to a 17-1 lead early in the second quarter. Mascoutah came back

(See GIRLS, Page 3B)

By Mike Kelly
Staff writer

It wasn't even close. The Warrior wrestling team enhanced its No. 1 ranking Saturday by trouncing Cahokia 41-20 in a quad meet in Cahokia. The Warriors (23-0) averaged last season's loss to the Comanches and notched their first perfect season since 1973 as they also trounced Murphysboro (67-4) and Triad (72-0).

"We remembered what happened last year (the Warriors blew a 27-11 lead and lost 36-27)," Granite City coach Mike Garland said. "We got an early lead on these guys and our upper weights killed us. We wanted to build a big lead, and protect it. A better team beat us last year, but I was confident our people up there could wrestle against Cahokia's big guns."

The Comanches (16-9) didn't produce a pin in the last six matches. Granite City won a match by forfeit and put on a formidable showing. Perhaps the most impressive was 145-pounder Jerry Heubachman, who nearly upset Donald Roberts (29-0 with 25 pins) and ranked third in the state.

Roberts escaped by getting a reversal with 33 seconds left to win the match, 5-3.

"I told Jerry before the match that he was a state qualifier last year," Garland said. "Now he has to prove he can earn a medal up there. This showing against Roberts means he can do it."

A forfeit and consecutive victories by T.J. Slay (112), Ryan King (119) and Jason Moerlein (125) gave Granite City a 20-0 lead. Consecutive pins by Mark McKechan (135) and Chris Hoffstot (140) put the Warriors in command.

"There's no question about it," Cahokia coach Kevin Bement said. "Granite City is a great team. They don't have any weaknesses in their lineup. A lot of people feel they aren't very strong in the upper weights. But I feel all those kids can qualify for state."

Warrior wrestling

(through Saturday)

Pat Scheffer (103)	31-2 (14 pins)
Scheffer (112)	1-0 (1 pin)
Tim Fullerton (103)	1-0 (1 pin)
T.J. Slay (112)	20-6 (11 pins)
Slay (119)	2-0 (1 pin)
Ryan King (119)	32-2 (11 pins)
Jason Moerlein (125)	19-7 (11 pins)
Moerlein (140)	1-0 (1 pin)
Ernie Miller (125)	1-0 (1 pin)
Chris Hahn (125)	1-1
Hahn (119)	1-0 (1 pin)
Dan Plicka (138)	24-10 (11 pins)
Plicka (115)	1-0 (1 pin)
Mark McKechan (135)	30-3-2 (10 pins)
McKechan (140)	20-3-1 (16 pins)
Hoffstot (140)	1-0 (1 pin)
Doug Tabbs (143)	1-0 (1 pin)
Tabbs (143)	1-0 (1 pin)
Jerry Heubachman (145)	23-6 (9 pins)
Heubachman (152)	2-0 (1 pin)
Jeff Wilsey (152)	2-0 (1 pin)
Tony Buechle (152)	2-0 (1 pin)
Scott Simon (152)	22-14 (9 pins)
Andy Richards (171)	22-13 (9 pins)
Richards (188)	2-0 (1 pin)
Jeff Heubachman (188)	27-10 (11 pins)
Heubachman (171)	1-1 (1 pin)
Al Willaredt (190)	10-1 (6 pins)

for state."

Tony Buechle (152), Scott Simon (160), Andy Richards (171), Jeff Heubachman (188) and Al Willaredt (275) are a combined 109-47 with 50 pins in the upper weights.

"We're doing a good job of staying off our backs," Garland said. "We've only been pinned 18 times this season."

Which means their opponents haven't scored many points, either.

"We're giving up an average of 20 points a dual," Garland said. "A lot of teams will score in the mid to high 20s to win a match. But we've been keeping people below that. When that happens, you're going to win most of the time."

Make that all of the time so far. "The Comanches can attest to that."

"(Granite City) is definitely the top seed going into the regional (this Saturday)," Bement said.



(Photo by T.W. Miller)

Leroy Samuels of the Warriors eyes a free throw.

Hoffstot peaking as regional nears

By Mike Kelly
Staff writer

Chris Hoffstot is getting hot at the right time. The Granite City High School senior 140-pound wrestler is riding an 11-match winning streak that features nine pins and a technical fall. Hoffstot closed out the regular season by racking up three victories on Saturday in a quad meet in Cahokia.

For his efforts, Hoffstot (28-3-1 with 16 pins) has been named this week's East Side Publications Journal Athlete of the Week.

"I like the way Chris is wrestling," Granite City coach Mike Garland said. "He's peaking at the right time. The regional is right around the corner and Chris is at the top of his game. He's making things happen out there by being the aggressor. I don't care who he wrestles, he's going to be tough to beat."

But that wasn't the case in late December. A disappointing loss to Joe Fisch of Oakville (Mo.) in the finals of the Granite City Holiday Tournament led Hoffstot doubting himself.

"My head just wasn't in it anymore," Hoffstot said. "I let too much ride on that one match. Losing it really drained me. Coach Garland and (assistant coach) Steve Cavanaugh did a lot of talking to get me up, but I was in a slump."

Hoffstot rediscovered his form at the Hazelwood Central quad Jan. 24. A victory over Jeff Schreiber of Central rejuvenated his confidence.

"I barely beat that guy (5-2) at the holiday tournament," Hoffstot said. "But I nearly got a tech fall against him (15-3) in the quad. Everything just came together. I felt comfortable and my moves came naturally."

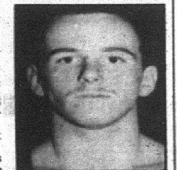
But Hoffstot isn't getting over-confident. "My weight class doesn't have someone like a Donald Roberts (of Cahokia) in it," he said. "But it's pretty stacked. I'll see my share of good competition in the regional and sectional."

Stephen Galanos of Carbondale should pose the biggest challenge.

"He's dropped down from 145," Hoffstot said. "I expect to meet him in the sectional finals. But that's still a week away (Feb. 14-15 in Granite City). I've got some people to worry about this week at Cahokia. The important thing is being ready."

Disorganization hurt him last season. "I didn't know how to approach the post-season last year," said Hoffstot, who nonetheless reached the state finals before losing in his first match. "It was all new to me. But the disappointment of not placing at state has stayed with me. I'm anxious to go up there and show what I can do. A state title might be out of the question, but my goal is to go out on a winning note."

(Each week one varsity athlete from Granite City, Madison, Venice, Cahokia, Duplo, East St. Louis or Lincoln high schools is selected by the Journal sports staff as the East Side Publications Journal Athlete of the Week. Selected athletes are eligible for consideration as the Journal Athlete of the Month.)

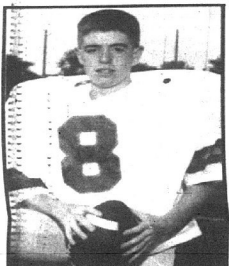


Chris Hoffstot
...out of slump

Scoreboard

GRANITE BOWL		Youth/Adult		Girls high game		Girls high series		Boys high game		Boys high series		Playoffs	
Jan. 25		Bump N Bowl		Jan. 26		Jan. 26		Jan. 26		Jan. 26		Kendrick Fried Chicken 7, Maryland Insurance	
Bantams		Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		Men's Broomball	
Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		Boys high series		FINAL	
James Gardner	287	Brent Huelshammer	191	Jenny Lindsay	115	Laura Stille	362	Chuck Cramdy	95	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
Patrick Seidel	287	Drake Rogers	191	Bump N Bowl	102	Karen K. Sennella	207	James C. Sennella	95	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
Shannon Hickton	170	Scottie Wiles	191	Talia Zlotnick	102	Kim Greer	220	Chris Costello	219	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
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James Taylor	300	Keith Allen	196	Robert Broadshere	360	Jondalay Cedar	154	Tori Wonders	73	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
Chris Taylor	300	Glen Cooke	196	Chris Vance	360	Shelly Pulaski	127	Samuel Jones	81	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
Jason Ramsey	300	Boys high series		Chad Wilkins	360	Boys high series		Boys high series		Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
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Kurt Rowley	300	Tara Jarrell	177	Janet West	118	Paul Pulaski	545	George Linder	318	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
Jennifer Ward	300	Boys high series		Keith Hendricks	149	Wayne Hagopian	545	Chris Lember	318	Robert & Charles	22	Medicine Shoppe	84
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Sports shorts



Local connection —

Chad Lerner, the son of former Granite City residents, was named to the All-Big 12 Conference football team this year while playing for Stephen Decatur (Ill.) High School. He is the son of Jeff and Donna Lerner. His grandparents are Dorothy Lerner, and Maj. and Mrs. Bud Voss, all of Granite City. Chad was the only freshman named to the team. He was the varsity kicker for the Runnin' Reds and also played junior varsity soccer.

The course is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Tournaments and league play for 1992 are now being booked. Also being offered are Christmas gift certificates for any amount. For more information, call the course at 931-4653.



QCSA has coaches clinic slated Feb. 11

The Quad Cities Soccer Association will hold a clinic Feb. 1 for new coaches entering the program.

The clinic will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Herald Brown Recreation Center, Room #2.

For more information please call Tom Cholevik at 931-4691.

Local swimmer takes first in college meet

Bill McCormick of Granite City High School took the only first-place finish for Northeast Missouri State in a dual swimming meet against St. Louis University on Jan. 18 at the Pershing Arena natatorium.

McCormick won the 200 breaststroke (the second time he's won it this year) in the time of 2:21.30. He was second in the 200 individual medley (2:13.50).

Team seeking players

A newly-formed Granite City girls 14 and under fast-pitch softball team is looking for a few additional experienced players. The team is working out indoors now in preparation for an indoor tournament, and will begin playing games in the spring. For more information, call Harold at 931-4667 or Joe at 931-6177.

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Prep girls celebrate 20 years of Title IX

It's hard to believe, but it's been 20 years since a gang of women took up a now-dusty bit of federal legislation and used it to hammer down the doors to the gym and the gates to the field.

This week's National Girls and Women in Sports Day celebrates the 20th anniversary of Title IX, an add-on to the Education Amendments of 1972 that forever changed the face — to say nothing of the body — of high school and college sports. Title IX ordered schools receiving federal funds to end gender-based discrimination.

In other words, if Dennis had a team to play on, then Denise should have the same opportunity.

It was, in 1972, a revolutionary notion. "Girls today have no idea what it was like," says Edwardsville High coach Sharon Petty. "They just expect to be able to play."

And play they have. Where there was one girl involved in school sports in 1971, the year before Title IX, there now are nearly seven. Participation climbed from fewer than 300,000 to approximately 2 million during a 20 year period.

Title IX was tremendous news for half the population. And for Phil Donahue. "It was an exciting time," recalls longtime De Soto High coach and former A.D. for women's sports Gwen Lewis, whose career stretched from 1963-79.

The other half of the population wasn't so certain. The graybeards had gotten along just fine before this Title IX aggravation. It was fine for the feds to say they had to let women have their little sports programs, but they didn't see the feds giving up court time, or a chunk of their football budget to accommodate the girls.

"A lot of men felt it was unfair," says John Burroughs Coach and A.D. Skipper Keefe. "That created some hard feelings."

To say the least. "There was always a battle, always a fight," recalls Petty. The source of the fights ran the gamut. One year it was funding, the next practice time. Or uniforms, or scheduling, or coaches pay.

One fight that might have been anticipated never developed. Never was there a shortage of willing bodies. By the time Title IX rolled around, you have to realize that the federal government runs several years behind reality the notion that sports were not something nice, young ladies did was pretty much shot.

"They were ready in a heartbeat," says Keefe. Not that it always was so. Linda Moore is the assistant athletic director at St. Louis University. She recalls growing up in the 1960s when being a jockette was not the way to win most popular-girl-in-school votes. "When I was in school, it just wasn't the right thing to do for a girl to be involved in athletics."



Thursday likely to pass quietly

Don't look for any parades on National Girls and Women in Sports Day.

The Thursday event — its sixth annual — likely will come and go with notice running toward the quiet side. Various high schools will hold assemblies and St. Louis University has invited the world to a half-time celebration during its 7 p.m. game with DePaul, but for the most part the day will come and go with the same sort of hoopla associated with Arbor Day.

Unfortunately the lack of notice is likely to extend to the media, which figures still to be in a feeding frenzy over the start of the football letter-of-intent signing period, which kicks off Wednesday.

The timing is coincidental, but at least one coach sees it as typical that a date many in women's sports think of as a rallying point is eclipsed by the flash of a couple hundred Bic pens.

"We've come pretty far in some ways," says Sharon Petty of Edwardsville High, "but there are still some that we haven't come far at all."

— Dennis Barnidge

"When I was in high school everybody had to bring it cookies and then after the game, we'd have a picnic and punch with the opponents. Now we're lucky to get the refs off alive sometimes," says Debby Watson, athletic director at Villa Duchesne.

We really walk right on the edge," Watson says. As uneasy as wandering on the edge makes some feel, no one is able to step back through the window of opportunity that Title IX provided.

(Dennis Barnidge is the sports editor of the Jeffersonian (Mo.) Journals and writes a weekly column for the Suburban Journals.)

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Skaters close regular season with 7 straight

By Dave Whaley
Staff writer

The Warrior hockey team was able to control its macho instincts long enough Monday to close the regular season with its seventh straight win.

Granite City beat Country Day 7-4 to improve to 16-4-1 as the Mid-States Club Hockey Association regular season ended. The Warriors finished fourth overall in the league with 35 points. As North Division champions, they receive a bye in the first round of the playoffs and will play a two-game second round series after preliminary games are completed.

The playoff pairings will be determined at a league meeting Wednesday night.

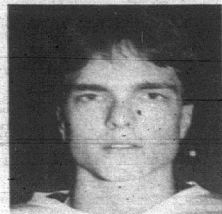
Country Day started Christy Nentwig in goal Monday. She's one of only three females competing in the MSCHA and the only goalie.

"She's good at playing the angles," said Warrior coach Jake Hinterser. "All our players thought they could intimidate her and we were taking a lot of long slap shots in the first period. Most of them went wide."

Country Day led 2-0 before Derek Zirkelbach got the first of his three goals to make it 2-1 after one period. Then the Warriors took charge with four unanswered goals in the middle stanza.

Chris Goclan tied the game and Zirkelbach put Granite City ahead before David Napier got the backbreaker with a short-handed goal.

Zirkelbach scored again before Country Day scored two quick goals in the third period to make it 5-4. But Kevin Sittion got the clincher on assists from Goclan and David Ezell. Mike Nueve finished the scoring on a 2-on-1 break with Zirkelbach in the



David Napier
...big short-handed goal

	C	A	P
Derek Zirkelbach	16	24	42
Chad S. Peters	18	21	39
Adam Jam	12	22	34
Mike Nueve	16	14	30
Chris Goclan	14	13	27
Nathan Weaver	9	13	22
Craig Wagner	9	8	17
David Ezell	4	12	16
Kevin Sittion	8	6	14
Rick Wherry	4	9	13
Mark Henniger	6	8	13
Jason Crip	4	4	8
Greg Obidias	2	3	5
Danny Thomas	0	4	4
Brett Golden	0	2	2

final minute.

"Goclan, Sittion and Ezell have really come through on the second line," said Hinterser. "We need two lines scoring to be in the playoffs. Our defense (Nathan Weaver, Mike Jaros, Mark Henniger, Rick Wherry) has been steady all year. If we play like we did in the second period, we could go a long way. We have the talent. We showed that by beating the top two teams (Kirkwood and CBCI)."

Girls

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with an 11-2 run and it was 27-21 at halftime. "Since the Brussels game, our passing and movement has been excellent," said Lobdell. "We felt that's the way it should have been all year. We've got that kind of talent."

Granite City went on a 10-2 run to turn a 33-31 deficit into a 41-35 lead after three quarters. Both teams opened it up in the final eight minutes and scored 26 points apiece. The Lady Warriors led by as much as 11 after Sykes' three-point play with 3:25 left. Mascoutah got no closer than four as Granite City made 14 of 20 free throws in the fourth period.

GRANITE CITY 67, Mascoutah 61

	FG	FT	PT
MASCOUTAH			
Kim Moulton	3	9	22
Stephanie Orsini	2	2	11
Shari Rensch	2	2	11
Nancy Muehl	0	0	0
Stephanie Kunt	0	0	0
Total	10	18	61
GRANITE CITY			
Jamie Caravessa	10	0	22
Debbie Kunt	6	0	14
Karen Sykes	6	0	13
Stephanie Kunt	2	0	10
Kelli Kessel	2	0	10
Total	26	0	67

Mascoutah — Granite City 29 (Caravessa 10, Sykes 6, Kunt 5, Wortham 5, Kessel 2, Dirsch 2), Mascoutah 33 (Rensch 10, Orsini 10, Muehl 5, Rensch 4, Fournie 2, Asante 2, Granite City 18) (Fournie 8, Rensch 6, Muehl 2, Grant 2, Sykes 2, Granite City 4 (Caravessa 2, Sykes 1, Kunt 1), Mascoutah 8 (Muehl 2, Rensch 2, Harris 1, Grant 1, Sykes 2, Granite City 8 (Caravessa 5, Kunt 2, Sykes 1), Mascoutah 4 (Harris 3, Fournie 1).

Basketball

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game, the Lancers shot 35 percent. "Going against two 6-9 kids, if we don't shoot the ball well from the outside we don't have a chance," said Reynolds. "And we didn't. That's it in a nutshell."

East was led by junior Robb Hill's 11 points. Olenford can sympathize with what the Lancers are going through.

"They just haven't been able to consistently hit the basket," he said. "That's been their problem all year long. I've gone through seasons like that. I know what coach Reynolds is going through."

GRANITE CITY 51, Belleville East 37

	FG	FT	PT
GRANITE CITY			
Larry Mobley	8	0	2
Deane Marshall	1	0	0
Jeff Cooper	1	0	0
John Smith	1	0	0
Leroy Samuels	1	0	0
Total	12	0	2
BELLEVILLE EAST			
Nic Scher	2	0	0
Eric East	2	0	0
Matt Curtis	1	0	0
Mark Johnson	1	0	0
Garrett Johnson	1	0	0
Jacqueline Perkins	1	0	0
Total	11	0	0

Belleville East — Granite City 34 (Rensch 12, Sykes 6, Kunt 5, Marshall 5, J. Smith 5, Cooper 2), Belleville East 22 (Johnson 4, East 4, Scher 2, Johnson 2, Smith 2, Curtis 2, Miller 2, Perkins 2, Ramsey 2, Marshall 2, Samuels 2, Sykes 2, Smith 2, Smith 2, Granite City 5 (Muehl 2, Muehl 1, East 1, Johnson 1, Smith 1, Belleville East 5 (Rensch 2, East 1, Johnson 1, Smith 1, Smith 1).



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Granite City resident Dave Sheppard, SEMC star educator, joins with Pulmonary Services associates (from left) Debbie Rapien, Kim Johnson, Marti Grove, Carol Smith, Essie Campbell and Paula Conterman.

Star patient educators come out and shine at St. Elizabeth

Getting three people to agree on something can sometimes be hard, but not for those nominating St. Elizabeth Medical Center's 1991 Star Patient Educators.

Star patient educators Dave Sheppard and Annette Strasen were nominated by two co-workers and a supervisor for excellence and dedication to patient education.

"It seemed to be the consensus that they do a wonderful job," said Kathy Haarmann, SEMC's patient education coordinator.

Sheppard, a pulmonary rehabilitation technician, was nominated for helping his patients and their families.

"Dave promotes education on respiratory health among sufferers of lung disease and their families every day," said Carol Smith of Pulmonary Services.

"People suffering from lung disease experience a great amount of fear and a loss of dignity. Dave helps restore their self-reliance and relieves fears with educational information."

Sheppard, a Granite City resident, became a certified pulmonary technician in 1984 and has been at SEMC three years.

"I would like to thank the department," Sheppard said. "I worked nights, and then they gave me the chance to work in rehab and educate patients. I've also had the chance to have closer relationships with some of the longtime patients."

Kim Johnson of Pulmonary Services mentioned Sheppard's sense of caring.

"Dave is very dedicated to his patients and shows it by all the extra time he spends making the Pulmonary Rehab Department a pleasurable yet educational experience," Johnson wrote.

"The treatment room is decorated according to the season for their enjoyment year-round."

Dave also visits patients inhouse to give any information regarding disease processes and how rehab helps.

Dan McDowell, director of Pulmonary Services, said Sheppard is a star educator in his eyes.

"His ability to make rehab a special experience for each patient goes without saying. Dave is constantly working to improve, educate, and enlighten patients and family members," he said.

Strasen, a registered nurse with the Edgewood Program in

Edwardsville since 1987, said patient education is something she has always enjoyed and encouraged.

Since becoming a nurse in 1986, Strasen has worked in a variety of patient care areas and spent 10 years as a school nurse for the school system in Bethalto, her hometown.

"I was surprised and honored when I found I had won this award," Strasen said. "It makes me feel good to be recognized in a special way for doing my job."

"I have always felt patient

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Bethalto resident Annette Strasen, SEMC star educator, with Edgewood Director Kenneth Simpson, JoAnne Roberson, accute supervisor, Mayme Cass, nurse coordinator, and Pat Fischer, registered nurse.

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Patients

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education was very important, especially when I was working in the schools. The more a patient knows, the better health he or she can maintain."

Straßen's resourcefulness, even at 7 a.m., helped her win. "We were very impressed that Annette works midnights and still sees patient education as her responsibility," Haarmann said. "It is very easy for a night nurse to think of teaching as 'everyone else's job.'"

Straßen received a joint nomination from Edgewood associates Janet Walter, RN; Mayne Cass, RN, nurse coordinator; and JoAnne Roberson, RN, acute care supervisor.

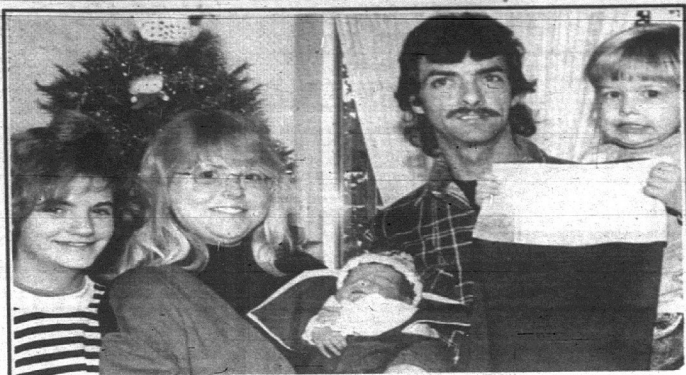
"Annette shows initiative in finding resources for teaching patients," the nomination reads. "She believes patient education is a nursing priority and demonstrates that. Annette is even enthusiastic at challenging patients to learn at 7 a.m. the end of her shift."

According to the nomination, Straßen takes patient education seriously. "She knows sobriety is contingent upon their understanding of the disease process. She is responsible for developing the present format for lab reviews and teaching the patients how this relates to their disease."

Winners received a special plaque and gifts.

"Support and enthusiasm of both departments were shown with these awards," Haarmann said.

"Both Dave and Annette are assets to their departments and SEMC. We hope more associates get involved next year."



Christmas stocking baby — The David Foster family of Granite City takes their newborn, Taylor, home from St. Elizabeth Medical Center wrapped in a hand-made Christmas stocking donated by the Junior Service League of Granite City. The League donates stockings to the Obstetrics Department each year for babies born near Christmas. Pictured from left to right are Jessica, Katerina, Taylor, David and Dustin.

13 Marquette students named state scholars

The Illinois Student Assistance Commission has announced that 13 students from Marquette High School have been named 1992-1993 Illinois State Scholars.

They will be awarded certificates for outstanding performance in the Illinois State Scholar Program competition. The 13 students are: Kendra Allaband, Jennifer Bayer, John

Hack, Bill Heintz, Amy Kane, Aimee LeClaire, Toscha Minter, Maria Morales, Ed Mueh, Rhonda Rueden, Julie Smith, Eric Totten and Mark Wilson.

The competition is based on a combination of the score

received on the ACT and/or SAT examination and the student's class rank at the end of the junior year. Approximately 10 percent of Illinois high school seniors are recognized as State Scholars each year.

Preparation key is to successful growing season

By Robert J. Dingwall
Correspondent

As January came to a close, seed orders were sent off and their arrival is now anxiously awaited.

It is always a difficult task making up an order as the temptation is to order more material than one can find space for.

The basement makes an ideal area to start and grow seedlings for spring planting. Because I anticipate growing more plants, additional lights had to be ordered and set up.

The table was cleaned off and new aluminum foil placed over it with the shiny side up. This helps to reflect the light back up under the plants for good growth.

Pro-mix or other commercial mix is used to transplant cuttings and seedlings into when root systems are active. I use Jiffy Mix to start my seedlings off, transplanting them when they develop their third pair of leaves. I keep the seedlings as near to the lights as possible using care that they do not burn from being too close.

The lights can be raised as the seedlings grow. The room tem-

perature is a stable 55-60 degrees. The seed, when first planted, is placed in a temperature area of 70-75 degrees until germination begins to show. Light is not necessary at this time, but seedlings must be moved to light immediately to prevent stretching.

Cuttings have been taken from other plants to be rooted in a mixture of one part peat moss to 3 parts of perlite. Cuttings are kept moist and under lights with rooting commencing very quickly. Once roots are adequate, the cuttings are planted in containers or hanging baskets to be grown on for spring.

When transplanting is ready, use a liquid fertilizer at half-strength to water seedlings and cuttings in order to offset transplant shock.

Use water at room temperature as cold tap water can shock tender plants. Do not allow small plants to wilt at any time.

If air circulation is not adequate a small fan may be set up near the growing area. Light should be used for 16-18 hours daily. Timers are ideal to keep light on at uniform hours. Do not leave lights on for 24 hours a day as plants need several hours of darkness to develop properly.

Do you have problems with your garden or household plants? If so, direct your questions to: The Garden Spot, St. Louis News Service, 1215 Fern Ridge Parkway, Suite 100, St. Louis, Mo. 63141.

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Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 876-2000.

This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

Wednesday, Feb. 5

Diabetes Support Group, 7 to 10 p.m., Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-5456.
The Five Star Club, Niedringhaus Methodist Church, 20th and Delmar Streets, 1:30 p.m.

Every Wednesday

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in 4-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-5456.
Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Thursday, Feb. 6

Madison County Genealogical Society, 7:30 p.m., First Federal Savings and Loan, 309 St. Louis St., Edwardsville.

Every Thursday

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.
Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., Unity Chapel, Stratford and Village Lane, Granite City, 876-8467.
Al-Anon, 9:30 a.m., St. Elizabeth Church, quilting room, 2300 Pontoon Road, 692-8078.
Al-Anon, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Wiesman Room, first floor (babysitter available), Granite City, 692-8078.

Friday, Feb. 7

Social Hour held at Shanahan's (formerly Fred P. Ott's), Rt. 157 in Edwardsville at 7 p.m. Call Ted at 692-9075.

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Saturday, Feb. 8

Quad City Youth Fellowship, 2237 Cleveland Ave., 7 p.m., 931-3480 or 877-4848.
St. Louis Stuttgart Sister Cities, 5th Annual Winterball at 7 p.m.; German Cultural Hall, 3622 S. Jefferson, St. Louis. German dinner, music, dancing and entertainment. Call Rosemarie Kaemmerler at 432-2283 or Wilma Prifti at 821-1261 for reservations.

Every Saturday

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.
Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m. Suburban Baptist Church, Maryville Road and St. Clair Ave. (babysitter available), 692-8078.

Sunday, Feb. 9

The Granite City Eagles Auxiliary 1126, will hold a chicken and dumpling dinner in the Eagles Home, 258 Madison Ave. from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. This will be a benefit for the heart and disaster fund. Included in the dinner will be chicken and dumplings, salad and dessert. Vera Johnson is chairman of the Heart Fund and Millie Weatherford is Chairman of the Disaster Fund. Mrs. Del Delaney is President of the Local Auxiliary.

Every Sunday

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Paul Hall, Main Floor, Granite City, 876-8467.

Every Monday

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.
TOPS 2948, 6 p.m., Mel Price Supper Center in Granite City; 876-2124 or 931-5653.
TOPS II 645, 7 p.m., Anchor-age Recreation Center, 2902 Edwards St., Granite City, 452-6102.
Welcome men and women

Tuesday, Feb. 11

Genevolut and Protective Order of the Elks, Granite City Lodge 1063, Maryville Road, Granite City, 931-3557, 8 p.m.

Granite City Knights of Columbus, 3rd Degree, 4225 Old Alton Road, 7:30 p.m., 877-4250.
Alliance for the Mentally III, 7 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 903 N. Second St., Edwardsville; for information call 877-5006.

Better Breathers, support group of those with chronic lung condition, 1 p.m., Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-5456.

Mastectomy Support Group, 7 to 9 p.m., Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-5456.
AARP Chapter 1340, will meet at 7 p.m. at Granite City Township Hall, Call Margaret Kwiatkowski, 876-8328 for information.

Every Tuesday

TOPS 1699, 6:45 p.m. at the Anchorage Recreation Center, 2909 Edwards St. call 931-6222 or 797-0562.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:30 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.
Alcoholics Anonymous (women only), 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 876-8467.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2901 Nameoki, Granite City, 876-8467.
Al-Anon, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2901 Nameoki, Granite City, 692-8078.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Niedringhaus United Methodist Church cafeteria, 20th and Delmar, Granite City (babysitter available), 692-8078.

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Trombonist Bill Watrous and conductor Lt. Col. Lowell Graham will be featured guests at the sixth annual SIUE Band Festival Friday, Feb. 7 on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

A renowned virtuoso trombone soloist, Watrous, along with the SIUE Symphonic Band, will perform the world premiere of "Theme and Celebration." It is a concerto for trombone and symphonic band written by Lt. Col. Graham and Shelly Berg, a professor of music at the University of Southern California, and commissioned for this year's Festival.

John R. Bell, an associate professor of music and director of band activities for SIUE, will conduct the piece which will be performed at 7:45 p.m. in Meridian Hall of SIUE's University Center.

Watrous is, without a doubt, one of the premier trombonists in the world today, and Lt. Col. Graham is an extremely talented composer and conductor, Bell said.

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Honored — Reflections Intermediate winners are, front row, from left, Eric Jackson and Kristin Bernaix. Middle, Jeremy Stone, Kimmy Boone, Eric Wright, and Theresa Lynn. Back: Melissa Nelson, Jeff Klee, Matt Whitehead, Ryan Cochran and Becky Bargiel.

Named to fall dean's list

Seventeen area students at Illinois State University, Normal, have been recognized for their scholarship by being included on the dean's list for the Fall 1991 semester that ended Dec. 13. Students who make the dean's list have achieved grade-point averages that place them in the top 10 percent of their respective colleges at the university. The exception is the College of Business, which requires its dean's list students also to have a grade-point of at least 3.63 on a scale of 4.0.

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Valentine's Day party is planned

"Sera, Massimo Romantico," featuring Italian sights, Italian sounds and Italian tastes combine for an evening to remember as Collinsville's Gateway Center presents its second annual Valentine's Day party, Friday, Feb. 14.

Last year's Valentine's Day party, featuring sights, sounds and tastes of Paris attracted nearly 500 guests.

"I can't recall when so many people told me in such glowing terms how enjoyable their evening had been," said Judith Chopping, Gateway Center's Executive Director.

As guests enter the lobby, they will be greeted by lush sounds of strings, compliments of Classic Productions string quartet. As party goes enjoy Italian hors d'oeuvres in the LaSalle Room, they will be treated to Italian melodies performed by the Sally Matzke Trio.

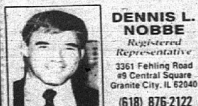
An elegant candlelight continental dinner, complemented with Bolla Souve wine, will be served the romantic couples in the Great Rivers Ballroom. Soft, lilting melodies performed by Pete Ruthenberg on keyboard and bass guitarist, Chuck Casale will enhance the dinner setting.

Following dinner, St. Louis favorite, the Ralph Butler Band, will entertain guests for their listening and dancing pleasure.

"We're creating the mood, Sera, Massimo Romantico," for the area's largest and best Valentine's Day party. We're expecting three hundred starry-eyed couples will enjoy a most romantic evening and a night to remember," Chopping predicts.

Tickets for the party are priced at \$19.50 each and may be obtained at Gateway Center, One Gateway Drive, Collinsville or by calling 345-9127. Tables for eight may be reserved.

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Brownie Troop 316 at Bob Kramer's Marionettes

Brownie Troop 316 on the move

The cold weather may stop some people but not Brownie Troop 316. St. Elizabeth Brownie Troop 316 has kept busy with troop meetings, religious medal meetings and a lot of extra outside activities and field trips.

Among these were the Festival of Giving; a visit with Father William DeGrand, pastor of St. Elizabeth Church; a holiday skating party sponsored by St. Elizabeth Boy Scouts; Bob Kramer's Marionettes; and a tour of Showbiz Pizza.

The girls watched a demonstration which included a brief history of Pupperty and four basic types of puppets and their mechanics. Then the girls enjoyed one of the acts from Kramer's Variety Show.

Members of the troop are: Jennifer Hartwick, Sarah Willis, Alton Denker, Diane Lickenbrock, Rachel Mueller, Elena Alegre, Robyne Fields, Megan Ryan, Joanne Harris, Kristina Grobowski, Laura Blankenship, Sarah Jackstadt, Katie Schutzenhofer, Lisa Morrison, Sarah Koller, Denise Mueller and Tiffany Ballew.

Troop Leaders are: Kathy Lickenbrock, Maggie Grobowski and Jane Jackstadt.

Show based on King speeches scheduled for Feb. 26 at BAC

Words of wisdom from the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. can be heard later this month at Belleville Area College in a one-man show based on King's speeches.

"The Norm of Greatness," performed by character actor Darryl Van Leer, is scheduled for 7 p.m. Feb. 26 at BAC's Belleville campus theater.

The two-act, 60-minute program is based on King's essential writings. The program begins with a narrative of the Montgomery bus boycott as described in King's sermon "Early Days" and Act I concludes with King's most famous speech, "I Have a Dream."

The term "norm of greatness" comes into play during the second act when Van Leer describes King's philosophy on

the subject. Also included are excerpts from such speeches as "Drum Major Instinct," "The Eulogy" and his final speech "I See the Promised Land."

"The Norm of Greatness," was created, written and produced by Van Leer.

He began his career in television with regular performances as a background vocalist and as a writer on Black Entertainment Television's "Bobby Jones Gospel Show." He has appeared in national commercials for both General Motors and Service Merchandise.

He has performed as a stand-up comedian at The Comic Strip and Catch a Rising Star. "The Norm of Greatness," is being sponsored by the College Activities Board and the Black Affairs Council.

Tickets are available through the office of College Activities from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday until the date of the performance. Tickets may also be ordered by telephone 235-2700 extension 205 or 1-800-BAC 5131, extension 205.

Opti-Mrs. meet

The Opti-Mrs. met Jan. 20th at Ravanelli's Restaurant with Mrs. David John as presiding officer.

The invocation was given by Mrs. John Kirchoff. Mrs. Elmer Branding led the group in the Opti-Mrs. Creed.

Committee reports were given. Hostesses were Mrs. John Kirchoff, Mrs. Victor Anderson and Mrs. Frank McGinnis.

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Good health equals good performance

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

Appreciation for triple axles and finish times vie with admiration for stamina, strength and style this week when the 1992 Winter Olympics skate in from Albertville, France. Lithe and well-tuned bodies, trained for years, have been nurtured for this peak performance.

Ann Grandjean, founder and director of the nonprofit International Center for Sports Nutrition in Omaha, Neb., is chief nutrition consultant to the U.S. Olympic Committee. In spite of their level of competence, elite athletes need the same range of foods their less intense counterparts do, Grandjean told food writers at the 1991 National Beef Cook-Off. "At the foundation of being the best you can be, you have to be healthy," she said. "Then you can train. Being healthy allows you to pursue whatever you want to pursue."

She said foods eaten daily should be adequate for short-term health. She characterized eating's long-term goal — essentially the true gold medal — as preventing disease.

This translates into a daily eating pattern that utilizes sound nutrition practices, eating lots of high-carbohydrate foods like grains, vegetables and fruits, and keeping fat at a sensibly low level. The diets of many elite athletes, according to Grandjean's findings, are surprisingly similar to those of the general population. There are few who are strict vegetarians and, when there is an allowance made for spare calories because of extra conditioning, their sweet tooth makes the choice.

As a whole, athletes eat often. No matter what their caloric intake level is, they eat five or six times a day, up to nine times a day if they can afford lots of calories. She advised getting nutrients through food, rather than using supplements, because "supplements usually taken are not what the person is deficient in." Calcium and iron are two cases in point, because they are more easily absorbed in foods than in most forms of pills.

Athletes do not load up on carbohydrates in extreme quantities right before an event like they used to, Grandjean said. Instead, winning athletes in endurance sports usually eat a high proportion of them in training, then have a slight boost just before competing.

She urged exercise hopefuls to let themselves be inspired by the athletes they see on television.

She said, "There are advantages in moving around. All you have to do is be active. Get off the couch, get out of your chair, get on your feet. It doesn't have to be a workout at the gym. Do some yard work, take a walk."

Here are some fresh starts for adding internationally-favored rice — an economical, versatile, easy-to-use carbohydrate — to everyday meals. Each recipe gives the percentage of the calories that come from fat. All are well within the 30 percent advised by national health organizations in the U.S.



Broccoli-blue cheese rice salad

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| 1 family-size boil-in-bag rice (2 cups cooked) | 3 tbsp. crumbled blue cheese |
| 1 1/2 cups small broccoli florets | 3 tbsp. reduced-calorie mayonnaise |
| 1/2 cup diced red bell pepper | 3 tbsp. plain nonfat yogurt |
| 1/4 cup sliced green onion with tops | 1 tbsp. lemon juice |
| | Freshly ground pepper |

Cook rice according to package directions, adding broccoli during last 3 minutes of cooking. Drain. Transfer to bowl. Cool to room temperature. Combine rice and broccoli with red pepper, onion, blue cheese, mayonnaise, yogurt and lemon juice. Toss. Chill.

Serve with freshly ground black pepper.
Makes 4 servings; 169 calories, 5 g fat (27 percent of calories), 6 g protein, 180 mg sodium and 26 g carbohydrate each.

Black bean rice soup

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| 1/2 cup chopped onion | 1/4 cup instant rice, uncooked |
| 1 clove garlic, minced | 1/2 cup medium picante sauce or salsa |
| 2 tbsp. oil | 1 tsp. cumin |
| 1 1/2 cups water | 1/4 tsp. oregano, crushed |
| 1 can (about 14 oz.) beef broth | 2 tbsp. chopped fresh cilantro, if desired |
| 1 can (15 oz.) black beans or pinto beans, rinsed, drained | |
| 1 can (14 1/2 oz.) no-salt-added | |

In saucepan, cook onion and garlic in oil until onion is tender. Add water, broth, beans, tomatoes, rice, picante sauce, cumin and oregano. Bring to boil. Cover. Reduce heat and simmer about 5 minutes until rice is tender.

Sprinkle with cilantro to serve.
Makes seven (1-cup) servings; 113 calories, 2 g fat (15 percent of calories), 4 g protein, 405 mg sodium and 20 g carbohydrate each.

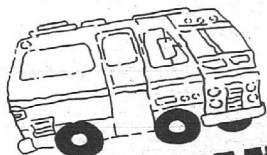
Salsa shrimp and rice

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| 1 small onion, coarsely chopped | 1/2 tsp. cumin |
| 1 small green bell pepper, coarsely chopped | 1/4 tsp. salt, if desired |
| 2 cloves garlic, minced | 1 family-size boil-in-bag rice (2 cups cooked) |
| 1 can (8 oz.) no-salt-added tomato sauce | 1 lb. medium shrimp, peeled |
| 1/2 cup picante sauce or salsa | 1/4 cup coarsely chopped, fresh cilantro |
| 1 tbsp. lime juice | |

Coat large skillet with nonstick cooking spray. Heat over medium heat. Cook onion, green pepper and garlic, stirring frequently, 2 minutes. Stir in tomato sauce, picante sauce, lime juice, cumin and salt. Bring to boil. Simmer, uncovered, 10 minutes.

While sauce simmers, cook rice according to package directions. Add shrimp to sauce mixture. Cook, covered, about 4 minutes until shrimp is cooked through.

Open bag of rice onto serving platter. Top with shrimp mixture. Sprinkle with cilantro.
Makes 4 servings; 227 calories, 2 g fat (9 percent of calories), 22 g protein, 288 mg sodium and 29 g carbohydrate each.



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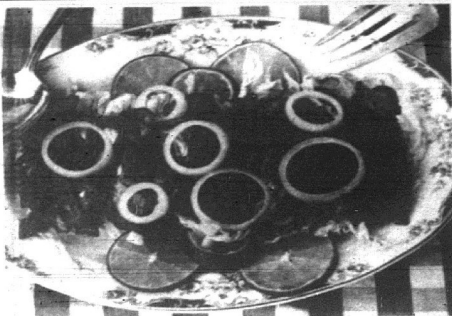


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Smart low-fat meat buying begins in the supermarket. It ends on the table with a delicious meal, like one that features Beef Creole.

Start at meat counter to cut away fat content

Eating lean—reducing the amount of fat in everyday foods—is an important way to improve chances of avoiding cancer, heart disease and other serious health problems, according to the American Institute for Cancer Research, American Heart Association and other health groups in the United States. One excellent place for many cooks to start is in the meat department of the supermarket.

Select the leanest meat available. With red meats, the rump, round, chuck or shoulder cuts—basically the leg—are lean. Meats from the rib, like brisket or rib eye, tend to be higher in fat. This is true for beef, lamb and veal.

Check for marbling, the white visible fat which runs through red meat. Avoid well-marbled cuts because they are much higher in fat. "Prime" and "choice" cuts are generally more marbled than "select" cuts. Even less tender, lean meat can become as tender as high-fat varieties with marinating and proper cooking methods.

When buying ground meat, look for those labeled extra-lean or low-fat. Generally, regular ground beef, sometimes labeled hamburger, is 25 to 30 percent fat. Lean ground beef is usually in the 15 to 22 percent range, and extra lean, often labeled ground round, is about 10 to 15 percent fat.

Keep in mind these figures are the percentage of fat by weight. Ground beef that is 20 percent fat by weight still gets 55 to 59 percent of its calories from fat. Small poultry—chickens, broilers or fryers, small turkeys and Cornish game hens—are leaner than large birds. Since broiler chickens have less than 10 percent fat, compared to 20 to 30 percent in large roasters, it is better to serve two smaller chickens than a large one when more quantity is needed. Light meat has less fat than dark, and removing the skin from poultry can cut fat calories in half.

Beef Creole uses a marinated cut of lower-fat beef, such as round steak. The lime, garlic and spices used in the marinade are some basic flavorings used in Creole cooking. Because this dish contains adequate portions of both meat and vegetables as well as a delicious sauce, it just needs rice or noodles to be a complete meal.

Beef Creole

- 1/2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. cloves
- 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
- large cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tbsp. plus 2 tsp. cornstarch
- 6 tbsp. fresh lime juice (about 4 limes)
- 4 tsp. oil
- 1/4 lb. well-trimmed, lean boneless beef (such as round steak)
- 1 small to medium head cabbage (1 1/4 to 1 1/2 lbs)
- 2 large bell peppers (red or green), cut in very thin strips about 2 inches long
- 2 medium onions, head lengthwise, sliced crosswise
- 2 cups beef bouillon

In bowl, combine cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg with half the minced garlic and all the cornstarch. Gradually stir in lime juice, then add two teaspoons oil. Slice meat in very thin strips about 2 inches long and 1/2-inch wide. Place in juice mixture.

Remove any heavy outer leaves from cabbage. Quarter and core, then cut in slices 1/2 to 1/4-inch wide. Separate cabbage strips. Steam cabbage and pepper in basket in large pot about 15 minutes until crisp.

Heat remaining 2 teaspoons oil in large heavy skillet. Add onion. Cook over moderate heat, stirring often, about 10 minutes until well browned.

Drain meat well, reserving lime marinade mixture. Add beef bouillon to marinade.

Add beef and remaining garlic to onion in skillet. Sauté briefly, tossing to lightly brown meat. Add bouillon-juice mixture to skillet. Stir rapidly over moderate heat, scraping up browned bits in pan, until sauce boils.

To serve, pour meat and sauce over steamed vegetables.

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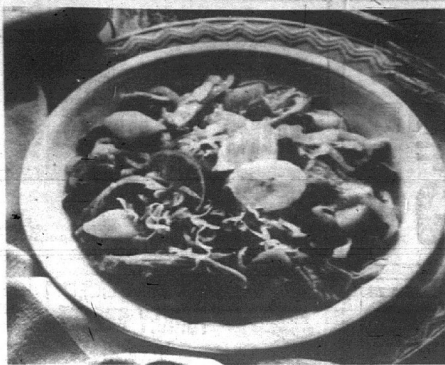
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Let the sun shine in on this Sunday supper of Caribbean Turkey Stew to transform the winter "blahs" into February "ahs."

Transform a Sunday supper into mini-vacation

A few relaxing, sun-drenched days on an exotic island beach may be out of the question this month, so create a mini-retreat at home this weekend with a festive Caribbean dinner.

Sunday is the perfect time. It offers enough time to prepare an easy dining experience that is a carnival of tastes and textures. Islanders transform the best of their European, Asian and African influences into a myriad of flavor experiences, each as unique as the different islands which float in the vast Caribbean Sea. The cuisine features everything from chili peppers and pineapples to papaya and sweet potatoes, with seasonings of allspice, thyme, coriander, cinnamon and curry powder.

Add a dash of adventure, heat up the stove and transport everyone to the Caribbean via the sight, smell and taste of Caribbean Turkey Stew. It is a fruity, sumptuous dish which combines some of the best native island foods with hearty turkey thigh meat. Jamaican Turkey Stew is a bit spicier, but

still reflects its island ancestry.

Caribbean turkey stew

- 2 lb. turkey thighs, skin removed
- 1 tsp. oil
- 3 cups thinly sliced onion
- 1/2 tsp. red pepper flakes
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/4 cup flaked coconut
- 1 cup reduced-sodium chicken bouillon or turkey broth
- 1 can (16 oz.) stewed tomatoes
- 1 1/2 lb. butternut squash, peeled, seeded, cut in 1 inch cubes
- 1 lb. sweet potatoes, peeled, cut in 1 inch cubes
- 1 can (16 oz.) black beans, drained

Garnishes

- 2 medium bananas, sliced
- 1 bunch green onions, sliced
- 1/2 cup flaked coconut
- 1 or 2 limes, cut in wedges

In 5-quart saucepan over medium-high heat, brown turkey in oil about 3 minutes per side. Remove.

Saute onion in saucepan 2 to 3 minutes until translucent. Add red pepper, salt, 1/4 cup coconut, broth, tomatoes, squash, sweet potatoes and turkey. Bring mixture to boil. Reduce heat. Simmer, covered, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 hours until turkey thighs register 180° to 185° in thickest portion.

Ten minutes before serving, remove turkey from stew and strip

meat from bones with fork. Return meat to stew. Stir in beans. Heat throughout.

To serve, spoon stew into bowls. Garnish with bananas, green onion and 1/2 cup coconut. Squeeze lime juice over top.

Note: In place of canned black beans, 8 ounces dried black beans may be prepared according to package directions and added at beginning of cooking time with other ingredients.

Makes 6 servings, 388 calories, 30 g protein, 9 g fat, 49 g carbohydrate, 887 mg sodium and 81 mg cholesterol each.

Recipes

Turkey yakitori

- 1/2 tsp. low-sodium chicken bouillon granules
 - 2 tsp. boiling water
 - 1 lb. boneless turkey breast, cut in 1 inch cubes
 - 2 tsp. low-sodium soy sauce
 - 2 tsp. dry sherry or white wine
 - 1 tsp. ginger
 - 1 clove garlic, pressed
 - 3 green onions, cut in 2 inch lengths
 - 1/4 cup cubed green bell pepper
- Dissolve bouillon in boiling water. Mix in plastic bag with turkey, soy sauce, sherry and ginger. Prop bag in container so all turkey is submerged. Allow to marinate at least 4 hours in refrigerator.

Thread on skewers with green onion and green pepper. Broil 6 inches from heat 4 to 5 minutes on each side, brushing with remaining marinade while cooking. If desired, prepare additional marinade as dipping sauce for yakitori. Do not use original marinade as dip when serving.

Minestrone

- 1 cup diced carrot
 - 1 cup thinly sliced celery
 - 1/2 cup chopped onion
 - 1/2 lb. fresh green beans, cut in 1 inch pieces
 - 1 clove garlic, minced
 - 2 tsp. olive oil
 - 2 qt. water
 - 8 cups shredded cabbage
 - 2 cups diced zucchini
 - 1 can (14 1/2 oz.) tomatoes
 - 4 cubes beef bouillon
 - 1 tsp. oregano
 - 1/2 tsp. pepper
 - 5 cups fresh spinach, trimmed, torn in small pieces
 - 1 can (16 oz.) white beans, drained
 - 1 can (16 oz.) red kidney beans, drained
 - 4 oz. uncooked tube pasta
- Saute carrot, celery, onion, green beans and garlic in oil in 6-quart nonstick saucepan. Add water, cabbage, zucchini, tomatoes with liquid, bouillon, oregano and pepper. Bring to boil over high heat. Reduce heat to low. Simmer, covered, 25 minutes until vegetables tender. Stir in spinach, beans and pasta. Return to boil over high heat. Boil 8 to 10 minutes.

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1992's best oldies-but-goodies reflect soothing satisfaction

Some foods bring back memories of cozy childhood meals. Mom made. For the past few years, cooks have delighted in finding their way back to the kitchen where these friendly, nostalgic favorites can be made.

Why would anyone care about these oldies-but-goodies? Perhaps it is an antidote to a fast-paced, frenzied lifestyle. On the other hand, perhaps the economy, the baby boom with its stay-at-home tendencies or even the time of year is accountable.

Whatever the reason, the outcome is the same. Comfort foods speak to the soul to reassure and soothe anyone of any age.

Today heirloom recipes are being retrieved from recipe files and old cookbooks. An update makes them less time-consuming and lighter in calories and fat.

Macaroni and cheese ranks at the top of these dishes. This 1990s version has the requisite creamy cheese sauce, but it has

less fat, with less quantity and the use of reduced-fat cheddar cheese and margarine, than that dog-eared recipe. Wheat germ is added and sprinkled on top to boost the fiber.

Bread pudding is another favorite dish with a comforting reputation for generations. Pear, Raisin and Walnut Bread Pudding is conveniently prepared in one dish. Once again, fat and cholesterol are lower because it has skim milk and egg whites, a combination of fresh and dried fruit, and whole wheat bread and wheat germ for fiber. Serve it warm with a generous spoonful of low-fat yogurt with cinnamon for extra flavor.

Stir in cheddar and parmesan cheeses, pepper sauce and 1/2 cup wheat germ. Mix well. Stir in cooked macaroni.

Spoon into 1-quart casserole. Top

with remaining wheat germ. Bake 25 to 30 minutes at 375° until heated through.

Makes 4 servings; 410 calories, 24 g protein, 42 g carbohydrate, 15 g fat, 25 mg cholesterol, 4 g dietary fiber and 400 mg sodium each.

Pear, raisin and walnut bread pudding

1 1/2 cups toasted whole wheat bread cubes (2 to 3 slices coarsely textured bread)

1/4 cup wheat germ

1 1/2 cups diced fresh pear

3 tbsp. raisins

2 tbsp. finely chopped walnuts

1/4 cup skim milk

1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar

3 egg whites, slightly beaten

1 tsp. vanilla

1/4 tsp. cinnamon

1/4 cup low-fat vanilla yogurt

Lightly spray 1 1/2-quart casserole with nonstick cooking spray.

Combine bread, wheat germ, pears, raisins and walnuts in cas-

serole.

Combine milk, brown sugar, egg whites, vanilla and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Mix well. Pour evenly over bread mixture.

Bake on center oven rack 40 to 45 minutes at 350° until knife inserted in center comes out clean.

Combine yogurt and 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon. Serve with warm bread pudding.

Makes 5 servings; 270 calories, 13 g protein, 46 g carbohydrate, 5 g fat, no cholesterol.

1990s mac 'n cheese

2 tbsp. margarine

1/4 cup finely chopped onion

1/4 cup flour

2 cups skim milk

1 cup (4 oz.) grated reduced-fat

cheddar cheese

2 tbsp. grated parmesan cheese

1/2 cup plus 3 tbsp. wheat germ

2 cups cooked macaroni

Melt margarine in medium saucepan. Stir in onion. Cook over medium heat until tender.

Add flour. Heat, stirring constantly, until mixture is smooth and bubbly. Gradually add milk.

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Bake at 350° for 35 to 40 minutes. Remove from oven. Invert. Let stand 1 minute. Remove pan. Serve warm with topping.

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Normal forgetfulness, memory disorders are not the same

(The following was written by Mary Lou Garbe, Madison County extension adviser.)

With aging often come instances of memory loss and forgetfulness. For some elderly individuals, the cause may simply be malnutrition. For others, Alzheimer's disease is the culprit.

A full diagnostic checkup is often necessary to discriminate between the simple wear-and-tear of old age and a more serious brain disorder.

Senility has been the catch-all phrase for any forgetfulness or mental disorder that the older person undergoes. Until recently,

doctors assumed senility was a normal part of old age, so science has been slow to identify and treat true memory disorders.

It's important for elderly patients and their doctors to learn the difference between normal forgetfulness and memory disorders and to seek an accurate diagnosis.

About age 50, the brain may begin to show changes such as cellular tangles and senile plaques. These changes can be accompanied by a decline in memory. This might be considered "Normal forgetfulness,"

and is quite common with aging.

It is not known why some people experience a memory decline as they age, but it is known that fatigue, anxiety and stress can cause periods of memory decline. Also, hearing or vision loss can add to mental confusion and restrict a person's awareness of the things around them.

These causes of forgetfulness, confusion and disorientation are reversible with proper medical treatment and help of friends and family.

Memory loss can also be a result of various memory disorders or conditions. These might

include depression, alcohol and drug use including prescription drugs, and nutritional deficiency and anemia.

Depression is the disorder most commonly misdiagnosed for Alzheimer's disease. The start of depression is usually more sudden than the slow and gradual process of Alzheimer's.

The depressed person will likely show a slowing of movement and speech, changes in eating and sleeping habits, decreased pleasure in activities and low self-esteem. Depression can be effectively treated through a mental health clinic.

Poor eating habits can lead to malnutrition and anemia — and also the resulting memory loss. Aging individuals may not maintain a healthy diet because of budget constraints or having to rely on others for transportation, food buying and preparation.

Certain brain disorders causing forgetfulness or mental confusion can also be diagnosed and treated to prevent further damage. Such disorders include Parkinson's disease, stroke, brain tumor, subdural bleeding and hydrocephalus, an increase of fluid surrounding the brain.

Finally, late-life dementia is

the most serious, and sometimes incurable, cause of memory loss. This term refers to a group of brain diseases affecting the nervous system that usually afflict individuals over age 65.

A series of small strokes and Alzheimer's disease cause late-life dementia.

If a grandparent, parent or spouse is showing signs of memory lapse, it is crucial to rule out the treatable disorders before considering the more serious conditions. The best place to seek help is at a medical center specializing in geriatric medical management.

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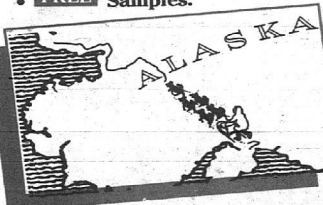
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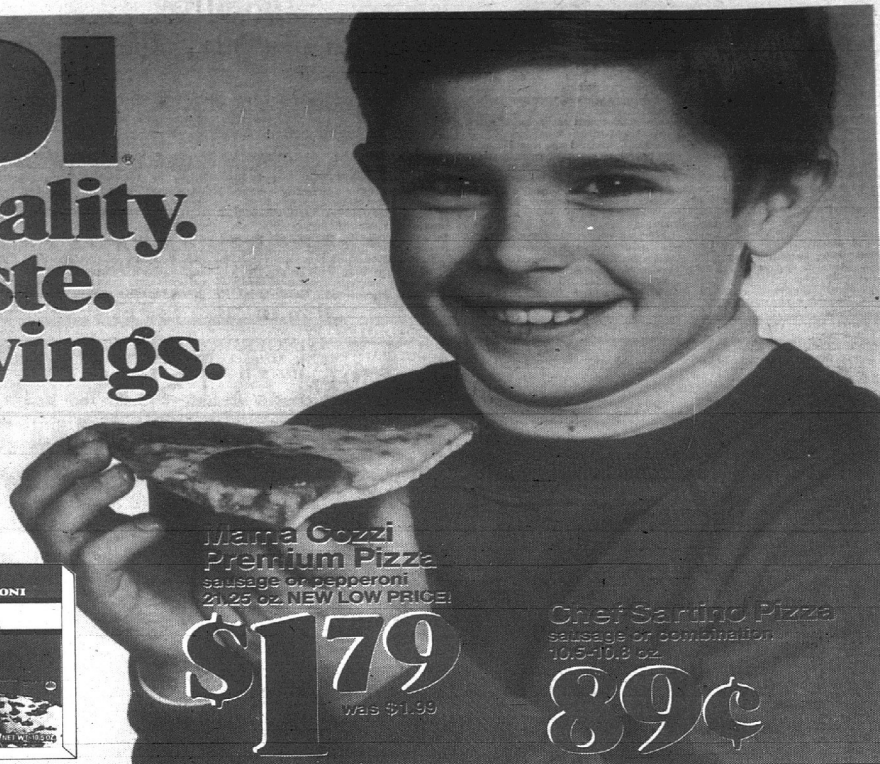
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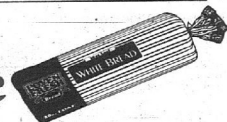


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TRAVEL

Houma offers view of Cajun country

By Pamela Selbert
Correspondent

Most people associate a vacation in Louisiana with the glittering night life in New Orleans' French Quarter. But to really experience Louisiana, a trip south on Highway 10 to Houma is in order. Just 60 miles from bustling New Orleans, Houma is in the heart of Cajun country.

Along the way, even in winter, you'll likely see pewee colored armadillos crawling along the road, or glimpse small black alligators and gray water turtles disappearing into wet grasses. This land of the Cajuns was settled in the late 18th century by French Acadian refugees forced out of Canada at the end of the French and Indian Wars. Even today, their south Louisiana version of French is commonly heard. They settled the wetlands around French New Orleans and developed their own unique lifestyle. Houma, with a population of 30,000, is the largest town in Cajun Terrebonne

Parish (County).

The town has been wealthy since its founding in 1824, as it quickly became a hub of indigo, sugar and cypress lumbering, shrimp and oyster fishing, and later oil. But according to Betty Reed, who heads the tourist commission, it only began to capitalize on its variety of tourist attractions—most notably alligators—about 10 years ago.

Despite antebellum mansions, wildlife gardens, and many arts and crafts shops, it's the alligators that make Houma different. Some 10,000 visitors come here every year to see them and local tourism people are catering to visitors' wishes.

"Alligator" Annie Miller is a good example. Miller, 77, who with her father used to go into the swamps to collect alligators for zoos, set up her own swamp tour company a decade ago. Interest in the tours has grown dramatically, and now Miller and her husband, Ed Miller, have four 22-passenger jet boats that make two three-hour forays

into the swamps daily (at a cost of about \$15). In recent years, five other swamp tour companies have been formed in Houma.

Few things can compare with a swamp tour. You really have to take one to believe it—hearing "Alligator" Annie bellow for her alligator friends Baby, Charlie, Mike, and others. You can watch the 13-foot behemoths swim alongside the boat then lunge out of the water to grab the chicken parts she holds out for them on long poles.

Miller does this, she said, not only to entertain tourists, but to keep the alligators well fed so they won't be attracted to poachers' bait. Poaching remains a serious problem even on protected waters, she said.

The swamps, with glittering, pale blue waters and emerald grasses, are also home to huge numbers of water birds—blue geese, snow geese, herons, ibis, egrets and many kinds of ducks. Bald eagles and their nests are visible in trees. Also here are

the bizarre orange-toothed nutria, rodents that look like dog-sized guinea pigs, that first were brought here from Argentina by E.A. McIlhenny, founder of Tabasco, in 1898. A storm of tobacco, in 1938, they had proliferated all over the parish. Today, they're considered a plague. Poachers shoot them, Cajuns and alligators eat them, said Miller, who's almost as concerned about nutria as about alligators.

When Miller's three-hour swamp tour is over, should you want to see more alligators, Ronald "Black" Guidry offers a shorter "Cajun Man's Cruise" in which a jet boat shoots you along bayous showing you wildlife, again mainly alligators, nutria and water birds, and 100-year old hunting camps. After a while Guidry stops the boat, gets out his guitar and homemade concertina and plays rollicking Cajun tunes, many of them original. He also performs with his Cajun band in local night spots.

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The center of activity in St. George's is the Carenage, or inner harbor, which is of a perfect horseshoe shape. Fishing boats of all sizes and descriptions pull in and out of the busy harbor. Most of the schooners were constructed in the Grenadines by local shipwrights.

For a magnificent vista of all of St. George's take a "water taxi" across the harbor. Or, if you prefer a land tour, the city of St. George's can be seen in approximately two hours, and most taxi drivers are well prepared to act as guides.

Plan to join the special group of travelers who will visit the Grenadines on the Journal-sponsored "Summer Vacation" which departs St. Louis on June 28. Although ample space is available many advance reservations have been received. Early reservations are encouraged.

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Luxury unlimited at Ponte Vedra

By John J. Winkelman
Staff writer

A trip to Central Florida means more than action-packed days at Disney World. For those seeking a relaxing vacation, filled with the delights of sun-drenched beaches and professional golf and tennis, the Lodge at Ponte Vedra Beach fills the order.

Along the Atlantic Coast, just south of Jacksonville, The Lodge at Ponte Vedra offers luxury accommodations and access to the ocean by a short boardwalk from the pool and deck.

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But why would you have to leave sweet accommodations that include a beach-front balcony, gas fireplace, oversized bathtub and shower in a large changing room, a daybed near the balcony and king-sized bed for restful night's sleep.

Room service delivers ice and anything from the menu of the Lodge's two restaurants, and like the valet service, is covered under a "no-tipping" policy.

The large pool and spa bath at the Lodge complement facilities across the road at the Bath House, where visitors can enjoy a lap pool, sauna, and exercise facilities as well as regularly scheduled monitored exercise

activities. As beautiful as the beach is at Ponte Vedra, it is not the ocean that attracts the most visitors to the area. Golf is one of the area's main attractions with access to the courses available through guest services.

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Births

C. Wallace

Bana and Lorraine Wallace of Granite City are parents of a girl born at 9:39 a.m. Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, at Christian Hospital, Northwest.

The infant is named Catherine Elizabeth Wallace; she weighed eight pounds and two ounces.

The mother is the former Lorraine Luehmann.

Maternal grandparents are Charles and Gretchen Luehmann of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Bobby and Nancy Wallace of Granite City.

The couple has two other children, Rachelle Nicole 9, and Lindsay Michelle 5.

Tiffany Kesterson

Karen Tindall and Kevin Kesterson of Granite City are parents of a girl born at 1:44 p.m. Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City.

The infant is named Tiffany Nicole Kesterson; she weighed six pounds and six ounces and was 18 1/2 inches long.

The mother is the former Karen Murphy.

Maternal grandparents are Harold and Joan Murphy of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Eileen Kittel of Salida, Colo.

Great-grandparents are Margaret Rickett of Silel, La., and Frank Runco of Salida, Colo. The couple has four other children, Lori 18, Erica 13, Daniel 9, and Kimberly 2 1/2.

Stephanie McKinzie

Marci Logan and Steve McKinzie of Kimmunity, Ill. are parents of their first child, a girl born at 6:08 p.m. Monday, Jan. 13, 1992, at St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital in Effingham.

The infant is named Stephanie Paige McKinzie; she weighed six pounds and two ounces.

The mother, Marci Logan is originally from Granite City.

Maternal grandparents are John and Elva Logan of Granite City, and Albert and Sandra Baldwin of Wood River.

Ashley Carroll

Danny L. and DeAnna R. Carroll of Granite City are the parents of their first child, a daughter.

Ashley DeAnn was born Jan. 11, 1992, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 3 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Steve and Marie Gibson of Troy. Paternal grandparents, Don and Mary Lou Carvell of Granite City.

Kristin Smith

William Jr. and Michelle Smith of Pontoon Beach have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Kristin Nicole was born at 10:51 p.m. Dec. 9, 1991, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.

Her mother is the former Michelle Kursec. Maternal grandparents are Bill and Judy Fowler of Collinsville.

William and Sylvia Smith of Pontoon Beach are the paternal grandparents.



New officers — Senior Citizens of Madison who took office Jan. 23 are: from left, Alda Yurko, recording secretary; Mickey Krusec, president; Dorothy Vasiloff, treasurer. Back row: Tony Romanic, trustee; and Mary Gotzian, vice president.

Book signing in Edwardsville Saturday

Theresa Liu will autograph and share stories from her Chinese cookbook "Fairy Tale Soup" at Peace of Mind Books, 230 S. Buchanan St., Edwardsville, from 3-30:4:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6. "Fairy Tale Soup" features both recipes for popular Chinese dishes and stories to accompany each one. The story may be ancient Chinese legend, a personal story from Liu or details of how a dish was created.

Liu is a resident of St. Louis. She is a special education teacher who has taught Chinese cooking in her spare time for almost a decade.

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Briefly

Retirees forming branch

On Dec. 6, several past Granite City School District #9 employees met at Ravanelli's Restaurant for a luncheon and voted to form a retirees' union branch of Local #743.

This is a new endeavor for Local #743. The first officers chosen were: John Mullen, president; Agnes Frynsko, vice-president; Bernie Dalla Riva, secretary; and Mary Hemphill, treasurer.

Other members attending were: Mildred Collins, Lois Mullen, Frank Dalla Riva, Betty Doyle, Jerry Rhodes, Whitey Hemphill, Milton Cox, Liz Briggs, Cecelia Hanrahan, Joyce Pittenger, Liz Edwards, Carol Gendron, Mildred Hedger, and Elsie Maylath. Eighteen members attended the meeting.

All past employees of Local #743 are eligible to join. This includes principals, psychologists, nurses, social workers, secretaries and teachers. Forty-three people are currently members. Anyone wishing to join may now contact any of the newly elected officers.

United Methodist Women meet

The Nameoki United Methodist Women held their "Prayer and Self-Denial" program on Monday, Jan. 13.

Christian Personhood Chairman Mary Benson gave the Quiet Day Service on the Heritage of Education and Ministry in Mission Schools and Colleges, sponsored by the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries. Prayer was offered by President Willie Clement.

Thank you note was received from Lessie Bates Neighborhood House, East St. Louis, for the Christmas gift.

A card was sent to a new missionary, Christine Hena, a medical doctor from Libya going to Russia. She has been commissioned by the General Board of Ministries to be one of the first United Methodist to begin work in Russia.

Prayer partners were reviewed and new ones assigned. A spiritual growth study will be held on Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. for five consecutive weeks. It began Jan. 26. This study will be led by the Rev. Jame Hahs for all members of the congregation and sponsored by the United Methodist Women.

Soup and finger food were enjoyed by those present. The February meeting will be held on the 10th. Phyllis Whitehead will give the lesson.

Cloverview Garden Club meets

The Cloverview Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Etheridge.

A dessert luncheon was served to the following members: Mrs. Ray Williamson, Mrs. Charles Gandorla, Mrs. George Knapp and Mrs. B.C. O'Neill.

A letter received from the park district was reviewed and the club will consider participating in the improvement of the flower building. The area will be called "Sunken Garden" as it will be located where the old swimming pool was.

Program given by Mrs. Williamson was "Colors at Work."

AARP chapter without officers

When local AARP Chapter 1340 held its annual election in November, not enough volunteers were willing to accept the elective offices and the organization was left without leadership.

Since then, the Granite City Township Senior Advisory Council has agreed to assist the chapter by serving as officers pro tem. Other board members were drawn from among area community leaders.

The emergency board has agreed to serve for a period of six months. It is believed that this time will allow the 495 AARP members who were paid up in 1991, time to decide if they want an AARP chapter in the area enough to get involved.

The chapter needs volunteers to fill elective offices as well as people to serve as committee heads. With a full slate of dedicated officers, the chapter could be made to function at its full potential.

Besides the elected positions, there is also a need for someone who would like to exercise their decorating talents or serve as hosts or hostesses etc.

For further information call 877-1215 or attend the next AARP meeting, which will be held Feb. 12 at the Township Building, 2090 Delmar Ave.

The new AARP board met Friday Jan. 17 at the Granite City Township Building: Rosemarie Brown, acting president, called

the meeting to order. Committees were organized and plans were made for future activities.

Plans were completed for the annual Sweetheart Dance. The dance will be held Feb. 12. Music will be provided by the Alley Kats. A king and queen will also be chosen. Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. and dancing will begin at 7 p.m. Admission is free. Members who's initials are A and B will please provide cakes.

Also present was Ruth Toomy, state assistant director for AARP's four-county 21st District. Ruth gave her support and guidance in this time of adjustment.

Local student on Monmouth list

Jennifer Riden of Granite City has been named to Monmouth College Dean's List for the small semester.

To be named to the Dean's List a student must achieve at least a 3.666 grade-point average on a four-point scale, while carrying a full-course load.

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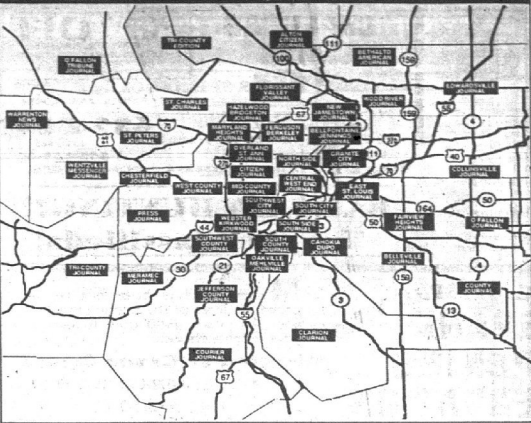
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Entertainment

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Griffith brings guts to new film

By Harry Hamm
Correspondent

It is often said that art imitates life, and the axiom couldn't be more true than in the case of "Shining Through" star Melanie Griffith.

"Shining Through" is a World War II drama and love story about a secretary named Linda Voss, played by Griffith, who becomes involved in espionage after going to work for an attorney named Ed Leland, played by Michael Douglas. It is based on Susan Isaacs' best-selling novel of the same name, which spent three months on the New York Times' Best Seller List in 1988.

Many parallels exist between Griffith's life and that of her character in the film, although Griffith's real-life difficulties involved substance abuse and domestic problems. Her challenges in the "Shining Through" are those of a spy against the Nazis.

Linda's ability to triumph over these tragedies mirrors the victories Griffith has enjoyed in her own life.

It was Griffith's courageous spirit and the example from her own life that led co-star Douglas to ask that she be chosen for the part of Linda.

Born in New York City, the 34-year-old Griffith, daughter of actress Tippi Hedren and real estate agent Peter Griffith, is a Golden Globe winner and an Academy Award nominee for her portrayal of another strong-willed secretary, Tess McGill, in Mike Nichols' 1988 comedy.



German officer Franz Dietrich (Liam Neeson) falls in love with Linda Voss (Melanie Griffith), a woman who has infiltrated his household in "Shining Through."

"Working Girl"

She lives in Aspen, Colo., with her husband, actor Don Johnson — her co-star in "Paradise" — and her daughter.

"Melanie is truly magical in front of a camera," Douglas says. "She has a wonderful quality of just being, having her emotions right out in front with no inhibitions."

"Shining Through" is a big epic movie, but it's really an intimate story about people. It's about personal heroism and human kindness, and the things that really matter in the big picture of life."

Shooting began on "Shining

Through" on Oct. 1, 1990, on locations in East Berlin and East Germany, just two days before Germany celebrated its official reunification.

"Shining Through" became the first major motion picture to freely use locations in East Berlin and East Germany.

The display of the swastika and Nazi regalia is forbidden by German law, so the production team applied for special permission from the authorities for each location.

"There was an uncomfortable

awkwardness as cast members walked around in Nazi uniforms from the war," Douglas said. "It left a big impression on all of us and, I'm sure, on a lot of Germans we came in touch with."

After "Fatal Attraction" and "The War of the Roses," Douglas said he was looking for something more "heroic and idealistic."

"Shining Through" offered me the chance to play a period part and a romantic lead, plus the opportunity to work with Melanie Griffith," he said.

'Love Crimes' looks cheap, lacks credibility

By Harry Hamm
Correspondent

"Love Crimes" is a cheap-looking, voyeuristic film that has no real ending. It just stops. The audience I saw it with left the theater laughing at the foolishness of it all, except for a few who were growling about the money they had wasted.

Sean Young ("Bladerunner," "No Way Out") plays Dana Greenaway, an assistant district attorney in Atlanta. Dana is on the hunt for a kinky sex offender played by Patrick Bergin ("Sleeping With the Enemy"), who masquerades as a well-known fashion photographer to dupe his female prey.

Foreseeing the role of an ordinary district attorney, who lets the police do the police work, Dana strives to get involved at both ends of the process. Early in "Love Crimes," we see her on a stakeout to trap Atlanta police officers who frequent prostitutes.

Later, she takes up the hunt for Bergin's character, eventually falling victim to him herself.

"Love Crimes" has plot lines that hold no validity and dialogue that is absurd. The editing can only be described as amateur. Bergin is reasonably valid as the violent, pervert photographer. Young is a drone as the naive attorney.

"Love Crimes" is directed by feminist filmmaker Lizzie Borden, whose best known movie was the enjoyable "Working Girls" in 1987.

But Borden has stumbled badly with "Love Crimes," making an unsuspenseful movie that pretends to be a psychological thriller, and looks instead like a tawdry peep show struggling for a strain of credibility.

Rated R for nudity, violence and adult language. Running time: 90 minutes. Crestwood, Esquire, Halls Ferry, Northwest Plaza, Regency, Union Station.

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